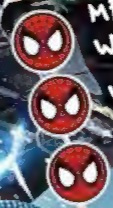


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SPIDEY SCOOP:



MEET THE
WALL-CRAWLERS
WACKY WEB USES
D.I.Y. SUPERHERO
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the AMAZING SPIDER-MAN



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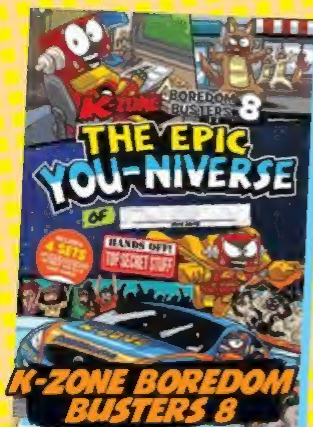
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In this rad volume, you call the shots in your unique and awesome YOU-niverse! Create your own Hollywood Walk of Fame, assemble your superhero team, and bring your wildest food fantasies to life. You're the boss!



This inventive art book's cool, colorful take on painting by numbers will keep you busy for hours on end. You can easily tear off your artwork, too, so the 'rents can frame it and display it proudly at home.



You'll deftly enjoy making all sorts of discoveries with this epic book of activities. There's one for every day of the year, so put on your lab coat and goggles, and satisfy your curious mind. For science!

SAY TO BOREDOM!

INSTEAD OF VEGGING OUT THIS WEEKEND, SPEND SOME QUALITY TIME WITH THESE ART AND HOBBY TITLES. PRACTICE YOUR ART SKILLS, PICK UP SOME CODING KNOW-HOW, OR HAVE FUN DOING A SCIENCE EXPERIMENT OR TWO!



National
BOOK STORE



HOW TO CODE: A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO COMPUTER CODING

Thanks to this kid-friendly textbook (complete with robot illustrations, natch), you'll learn the basics of coding and then apply them to create games and interactive web pages. You'll be a pro in no time!



ART PLAY

Grab all the drawing materials you can find and don't be afraid to make a mess as you unleash your inner artist! This engaging activity book will have you scribbling, coloring, making collages, and even blow-painting.



JUSTICE LEAGUE DRAW DEFEND CREATE SKETCHBOOK

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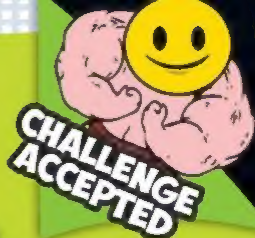
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JULY



IS GONNA BE AMAZEBALLS!

TALLY ALL THE TIMES YOU SPOT A CREEPY-CRAWLY SPIDER THIS MONTH. NOTE: IF ANY OF 'EM LOOK RADIOACTIVE, TRY NOT TO GET BITTEN!

- ☐ Eat sour food, like a lemon wedge or a scoop of plain fro-yo, while keeping a straight face! That means no squinting or grimacing!

DL A NEW GAMING APP AND GIVE IT A FIVE-WORD REVIEW.

App:

Review:

Rating: ★★★★★

- ☐ See how many medium-sized marshmallows you can stuff in your mouth while still being able to say, "K-Zone is where kids rule!"

PERSONAL RECORD:



- ☐ Learn to make some origami. You can even look up online instructions for geeky origami (think *Pokémon*, *Star Wars*, or video game characters).
- ☐ Create a map of your house. Extra challenge: Draw it on parchment or brown paper, and design it like a pirate's treasure map.

IF YOU WERE A POKÉMON, HOW WOULD YOUR EVOLUTIONS LOOK LIKE? DRAW THEM BELOW!
(FOR INSPD, TURN TO THE OTAKU ATTACK SECTION AND SEE HOW WE THINK ASH MIGHT EVOLVE.)



PICS OR IT DIDN'T HAPPEN!

Do one of these activities, take a photo, then post it on our Facebook page with the hashtag #KZChallengeAccepted.



UH YEP!

Dear KZ,
The first time I read your mag, I was shookt! I enjoyed everything in the ish because it was so fun to read. I hope Team KZ makes more mags! More power and stay cool, fam!
★
Marcus Vergara

Hi, KZ!
I think your mag is the bomb. I've read every KZ issue in my stash from cover to cover. K-Zone is amazeballs because it encourages me to follow my dreams. In fact, I am making a book right now!
Benedict Patangan

DRAWING OF THE MONTH



Altheena Barundia

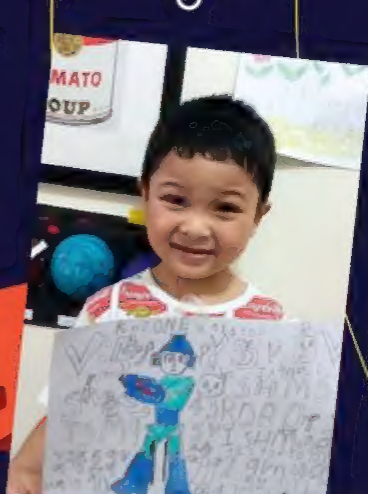
SO SWEET!

Hey, K-Zone!
I read each ish with my friends and we always like what we see! We hope you continue making kids happy by churning out even more crazy amazing magazines! I promise I'll read the new KZ mag every month.
Rhia Eugenio

LETTER OF THE MONTH

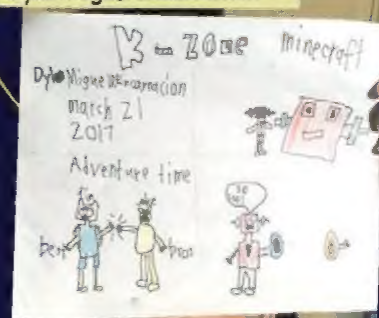
Hi, KZ!
I have been a fan of yours since 2003. That's 14 years of hardcore fanboying every time a new ish came out! I still remember how it all started: My friend told me about KZ, so I checked it out and was instantly hooked! Your covers are cool and I'm always excited to see how the next mag would look. My fave cover so far is the April 2017 one! You are the best magazine in the universe!
Julian André Layson

TOO GOOD!



Ishmael Zamuco

Dylan Miguel Encarnacion





SHOUT-OUT

Shout-out to my buddies at
Rizal Central School!
Joanne Cabatingan

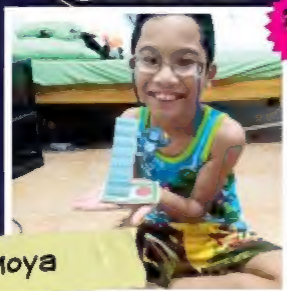
INSTAPHOTO

@kinzmunoz
makes way
epic flat lays
with his
K-Zone issues!



SELFIE

THIS
RULES!



Dimi Moya

FOR THE WIN!

Hey, Altheena and Julian!
You each scored a K-Zone cord
organizer!

Don't forget to contact Prize
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CRSanDiego@summitmedia.
com.ph or at 451-8888 local 8892
before claiming your swag on
or before July 31, 2017.



KZ POLL

WE ASKED:

WHICH VILLAIN WOULD
YOU WANNA SEE IN A
FUTURE SPIDEY FLICK?

YOU SAID:

THE SPOT - 57%

Kraven the Hunter - 29%

The Scorpion - 9%

Morlun - 5%



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FANDOM

POP-SICLE

TOP TITLES THAT ARE TOO COOL FOR SCHOOL!



FROM HERMIONE'S PERSONAL COLLECTION

These magical volumes will surely cast a cheering charm on any Potterhead. Illustrated novels, *The Cursed Child* script, a compilation of Hogwarts textbooks, and guides to the cinematic world of Harry Potter? Accio, books!

FAVES

Collect these
bang-up books
for maximum
geekery!

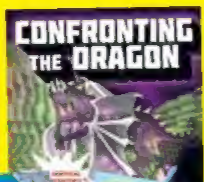


REQUIRED READING FOR RESISTANCE FIGHTERS

Build some droids and ships, LARP with character masks, suss out top-secret intel about the *Rogue One* heroes, and own the original *SW* trilogy in graphic novel form. *cue *Star Wars* theme*

LATEST ADDITIONS TO A COMIC GEEK'S COLLECTION

What happens when the Guardians of the Galaxy cross paths with the X-Men? Which superhero saves cats trapped in trees? What are the most intense Batman VS. Superman showdowns? These books will boost your DC and Marvel IQ.



ESSENTIAL EQUIPS TO EARN BONUS GAMER XP

Find out how you can pull off ace parkour moves in *Super Mario Run*. Then, learn all about fantastic beasts when you take the master class in all things *Skylanders* and *Pokémon*. Finally, chillax with a rip-roaring read set in the *Minecraft* 'verse. Game on!

READER'S REC

KID CREW EJ SANTOS SHARES HOW READING CREEPED INTO HIS LIFE. THANKS TO THE *GOOSEBUMPS* SERIES.

K-Zone: Hey, EJ! How'd you become a fan of the *Goosebumps* books?

EJ: I stumbled upon a pile of *Goosebumps* titles in the library. I got curious and borrowed *One Day at Horrorland* and *A Night in Terror Tower*. I enjoyed reading them so much that I finished both books in one day!

KZ: What's your fave title from the series?

EJ: My fave is *Vampire Breath* 'coz it has the best plot twist of all time. It blew my mind! By the time I finished the book, my mouth was hanging open and I looked like Slappy the Dummy!

KZ: Can you tell us more about *Vampire Breath*?

EJ: It's about two kids, Freddy and Cara, who find a hidden tunnel behind a china cabinet. When they enter it to investigate, they spot a coffin and a bottle labeled "Vampire Breath." Lotsa things happen, like time travel, a vampire duel, and a surprise family reunion! That's all I can say without heading into spoiler territory.

KZ: If you were to create any cursed item, what would it be?

EJ: I'd probably make a hexed three-colored pen. The black ink changes the present; the blue ink allows you to alter the future, and the red ink lets you rewrite the past. If you're not careful with the device, you'll be stuck in a time loop.



KZ: What did you learn after reading all those scary stories?

EJ: I learned the value of honesty, not judging people by appearances, and staying out of trouble. I learned to appreciate books, too, because reading the series is the reason I'm such a bookworm now!



DO YOU LOVE BOOKS?



Tell us about your fave title or series! Email your name, photo, and book review to kidsrule@kzone.com and you might get featured on this page.



Let's continue the spook streak! Read *House of Furies*, a new gothic horror book by Madeleine Roux. Then, log in to Facebook on July 21, 8:00 PM for a book discussion with the KZ staff!

SURF SESH

RANDOM GEMS FROM
THE GOLD MINE WE
CALL THE INTERWEBZ



"Animal whisperer" Allan Dixon posts the wildest selfies! Check out his pics and videos with various creatures, including his personal fave, the quokka.

@daxpp



LOL!

GRYFFINDOR

GOT A LIKE-WORTHY LINK?

Email us at kidsrule@msn.com

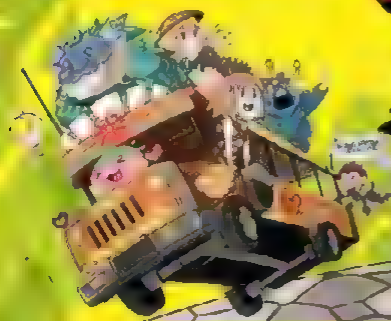
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Cool Website of the Month:
RBC's "The Making of You"
www.rbc.com/the-making-of-you/
(really interesting stuff!)

Do you wanna know how many cells make up your body, how much pee you've made in your lifetime, and how many times you've trimmed them? Find out all these interesting stats and more just by entering your age, sex, height, and weight in this epic website. Anatomically correct!



GO ON



1 RAGNAROK RETURNS

It's time to Rok out once more as the OG MMORPG makes its way back to our shores! *Ragnarok Online* has already been relaunched in Taiwan, Thailand, and Indonesia, so it's only a matter of time before the PH servers are up again. Talk about a throwback for the ages!

2 FINALLY, A LADY SAIYAN!

Say hello to Caulifla, the first female Saiyan! The lady warrior's name is in keeping with *Dragon Ball* creator Akira Toriyama's love for veggie-inspired monikers. We dig her outfit (those pants look comfy as heck!) and can't wait to see her Super Saiyan form.

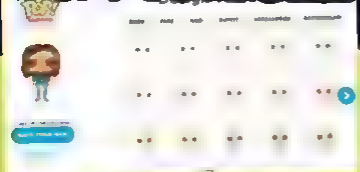


3 STAR WARS LAND



Disney execs recently shared some deets about the incredibly immersive SW-themed expansions at Disneyland Anaheim and Walt Disney World Orlando. Opening in 2019, the still-unnamed land is a gritty yet lively trading post on the Outer Rim.

4 POP! YOURSELF



Ever wondered how you'd look like as a Pop! fig? Funko's new online feature, Pop! Yourself, will satisfy that curiosity. Funko even promises to add new hairstyles, outfits, and accessories on the reg, so your Pop! avatar can keep up with the trends.

5 BANANA PHONE

We're going bananas for this Indiegogo campaign! We hope it meets its crowdsourcing target, 'coz the banana phone is the handset we didn't know we needed. Connect it to your smartphone, then have fun making calls in public and baffling the peeps who see you using it.



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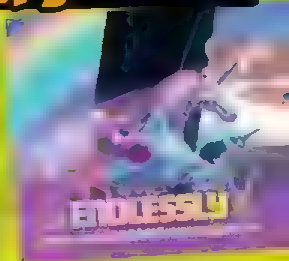
6 UNIQLO X NINTENDO

Have you seen these rad Nintendo shirts? Well, the designs were selected by Mario creator himself, Shigeru Miyamoto, when Uniqlo had a global T-shirt design contest. Now, save your coins and buy dem tees before they're outta stock.



7 ROBOT UNICORN ATTACK 3

This runner looks and feels very familiar, but wait 'till a massive citadel (shaped like a unicorn head to boot) rises from the clouds, and a fairy guide called Lumina tells you that you can build more robot unicorns. Shut up and take both our in-game and real-life money!



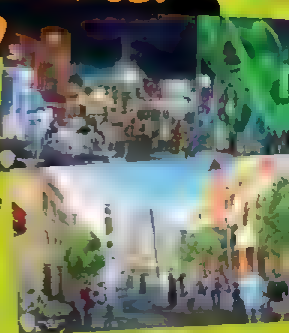
8 AN UBE ROLL IN STEVEN U

That's right! Lars baked an ube roll to bring to a potluck. Steven and Sadie helped him make it—and they both loved the classic purple cake! Thanks for reppin' Pinoy culture, Steveh Universe!



9 WARNER BROS. WORLD

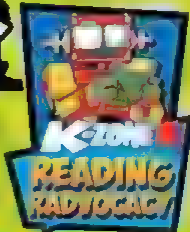
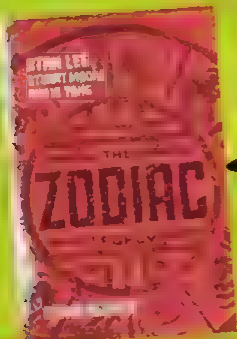
If Disney's constructing a new Star Wars land, Warner Bros. is building Gotham and Metropolis! The beloved cities of Batman and Superman are among the lands in the upcoming Warner Bros. World theme park in Abu Dhabi. Woot! Meet y'all at the Hall of Justice!



10 THE ZODIAC LEGACY

When teenager Steven Lee acquires strange superpowers, he becomes the target of mysterious mercs (natch). Can he escape the baddies and unlock the powers of the Zodiac? Find out in this illustrated novel series, published by Disney and co-written by Stan Lee himself.

Available at National Book Store





SPIDER SCRIBBLES

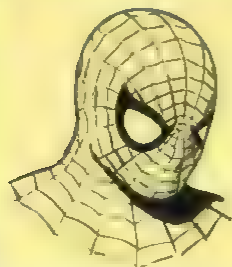
WE SNEAK A PEEK AT PETE'S NOTES TO FIND OUT HOW HE BALANCES THE ROLES OF SUPER STUDENT AND AMAZING SUPERHERO.



ALIBIS TO USE WHEN I GOTTA ESCAPE THE NORMCORE LIFE TO DO SUPER GOOD DEEDS

1. "Sorry, guys, Aunt May needs me to run some errands." → This excuse convinces peeps most of the time, and I don't need to explain anything else! Good job, self!
2. "I need to head over to Ned's so I can finish my homework." → REMEMBER Give Ned a heads-up in case Aunt May rings him.
3. "Ugh...I'm sick." → Make sure to pull off a very convincing cough.
4. [Copying Aunt May's voice with a high-pitched tone] "Peter, it's time to go home!"
[Me again] "Coming, Aunt May! Later, guys!"

Make sure to high tail + outta there before they get suspicious and wonder if it was actually her
5. "I have a, uh, thing tonight and, um, some stuff. Sorry, GTG!" → Then slowly walk away and act cool, bro!
6. Gotta think of more excuses!



HOMework

- Must accomplish before doing my super rounds!
1. **Social Studies** - Write a two-page essay analyzing the role of Captain America in World War 2 VS. in modern times. Due on Friday.
 2. **P.E.** - Prep for the physical gym test on Wednesday. Note to self: Make sure not to show off superhuman skills too much or cover will be busted.
 3. **Science** - Bring dissecting tools on Wed. Read about the *Latrodectus* species, particularly its behavioral patterns and its importance to the environment.
 4. **Tests** - Math on Tuesday, Chem on Wed, P.E. on Wed
 5. **Spidey** - Set up more cameras to record my adventures!

SUIT SUGGESTIONS

Metal Arms (like the Winter Soldier's):
A steel armband that can deflect projectile attacks.

Stingers: Maybe I can use spider venom to stun opponents?

Altering Suit An outfit that can switch between a Spidey suit and regular threads with just a push of a button.

Gliding Wings (like the Falcon's!):
But instead of wings, let's use webs. Gliding webs! (Spider Limbs look cool, too, but I might be mistaken for an Octopus-Man.)

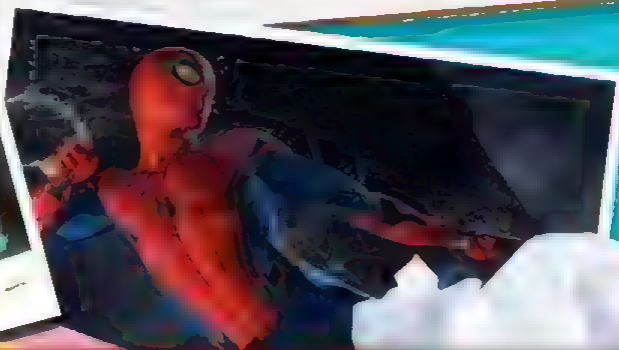
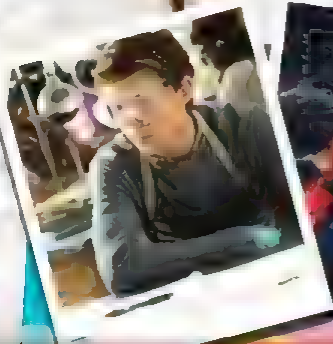
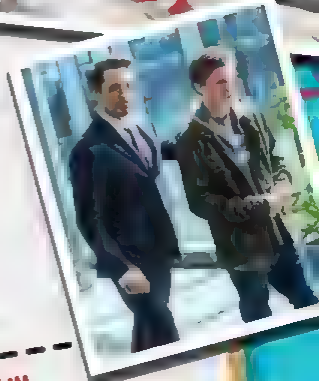
Spider-Tracers To track dem foes down!

AVENGER GOALS!!!

Neighborhood heroics are for level 1 noobs. Always dream big, self!

- ☐ Have an archnemesis.
- ☐ Get noticed by a bigshot newspaper like The Daily Bugle!
- ☒ Fight alongside a legit Avenger.
- ☒ Be social media famous.
- ☐ Have a signature style when fighting crime.
- ☒ Get noticed by Captain America. (Boy, what a first meeting that was!)
- ☐ Superhero homework Fight more criminals and save more people.
- ☒ Get decked out in a cool costume. (Thanks, Mr. Stark!)
- ☐ Be idolized by peeps—especially those who bully me at school!
- ☒ Have a cool superhero name.

#AvengerGoals
#TeamIronMan





CLOSE ENCOUNTERS A THOUSAND

The movie takes place in the outer space city of **Alpha**, the ultimate chill-slash-hang-out hub of alien species from across the universe. At the heart of this metropolis lurks a dark force threatening to destroy the whole galaxy, and it's up to Valerian and Laureline to stop it.

E.T. PRIMER

Get to know a few of the thousands of alien races you can find in Alpha.



KORTAN DAHUK

Hailing from the planet Kas-onar, they were the first extraterrestrial race to arrive on Alpha Space Station. They travel to interact with other aliens in search of harmony and peace.

MEET THE COUNTERS OF SAND KINDS

Agents Valerian and Laureline are heading off to save the universe in *Valerian and the City of a Thousand Planets*. Grab your space passports and join the fun!

MARMAKA

These aliens are among Alpha's many aquatic inhabitants. They possess radioactive bodies and are known for being excellent psychologists. Marmakas are also present in the multi-species space station called Point Central.

DOGHAN DAGUIS

Also known as the Shingouz in the comics, the Doghan Daguis are a squad of three sly, intelligent creatures who like selling important and sensitive info to interested parties.

MELO

Based on a creature in the comics called Grumpy Converter from Bluxte, Melo can make copies of any object it noshes on—yep, even money. We're guessing it comes from a planet named Xerox ('wink wink').

OMELITES

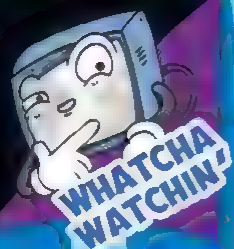
These tiny, techie aliens are expert programmers with the ability to communicate mentally with other species and with technology. In case you're wondering, nope, they're not made outta eggs!

K-TRON

Not to be confused with K-LEB, the K-Tron are part of the space police, so you better keep your cool when you encounter 'em! They're definitely not the droids, er, officers you were looking for.

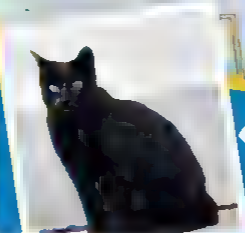
Does your noggin have "space" for more?

Check out the 21-volume *Valerian and Laureline* (the French comic series the film is based on) for more adventures starring the terrific twosome and their space friends.



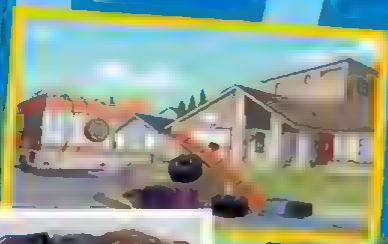
TOUGH BREAK

While on a fishing trip, Milo and his dad lose control of the boat when both the steering wheel and motor break off.



DEFENSE CHARM

You'd think a black cat means bad luck, but not for sailors. British sailors take the furball along on their voyages to bring them good luck. Besides, if there are rodents that nom on the ropes and the food, the cat takes care of that problem!



TOUGH BREAK

Milo's fam bam goes on a road trip. Unfortunately, their luggage keeps falling off their RV, the tires burst several times, the engine gets busted, and the brakes stop working.

DEFENSE CHARM

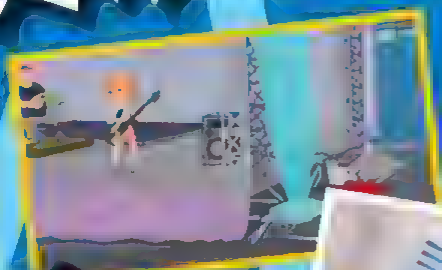
The rabbit's foot is another OG lucky charm that dates from 600 BCE and was used by the Celtic peeps. A rabbit's foot keychain for the car keys might help Milo ward off accidents in the future. Some race car drivers use such charms during competitions.

DRIVING CHARM



ICE MELTING

Milo Murphy is a magnet for mishaps! May we suggest some cool charms to attract good luck 'stead?



TOUGH BREAK:

While Milo, Melissa, and Zack are playing at the Battle of the Bands, the stage collapses and a nearby fire hydrant suddenly bursts.

DEFENSE CHARM:

There are musicians and athletes who wear their lucky accessories to every gig or game. Maybe Milo has a pair of lucky socks or shorts lying around somewhere? P.S. Never wish someone "good luck" before a performance. Instead, say "break a leg."



TOUGH BREAK:

Milo and co. visit a ranch. Homeboy rides on a horse named Psycho and it goes, well, psycho.

DEFENSE CHARM:

Irish horse owners use the classic horseshoe to ward off evil spells. They hang an iron horseshoe above either the house or the stable door.



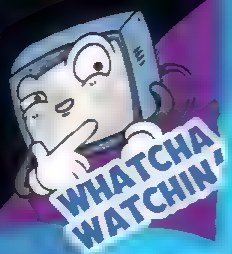
TOUGH BREAK:

Melissa, Milo, and Zack sneak into the school after hours to retrieve a math book. During their mad mish, Milo knocks over a statue and book shelves, activating the sprinklers. Whoops!

DEFENSE CHARM:

Maybe a study charm would've prevented Milo from leaving the book in the first place. In Japan, the Kit-Kat chocolate bar has become a lucky charm during exams. This is 'coz "Kit-Kat" sounds like *Kitto katsu* in Japanese, meaning "You will surely win."





GLOBAL WATCH

GET MORE CULTURED BY UNEARTHING

MIRACULOUS: TALES OF LADYBUG & CAT NOIR



FRANCE

Enter Marinette, a totemic designer, and Adrien, a runway model—two teens with secret superhero identities. With the help of their Miraculous accessories, Marinette transforms into the acrobatic Ladybug while Adrien turns into ferocious Cat Noir. Together, they defend Paris, the city of all things fancy, from Hawk Moth, a wicked baddie who wants to rob the duo's superhero trinkets.

WATCH THIS IF YOU LIKE: Star vs. the Forces of Evil and The Thundermans

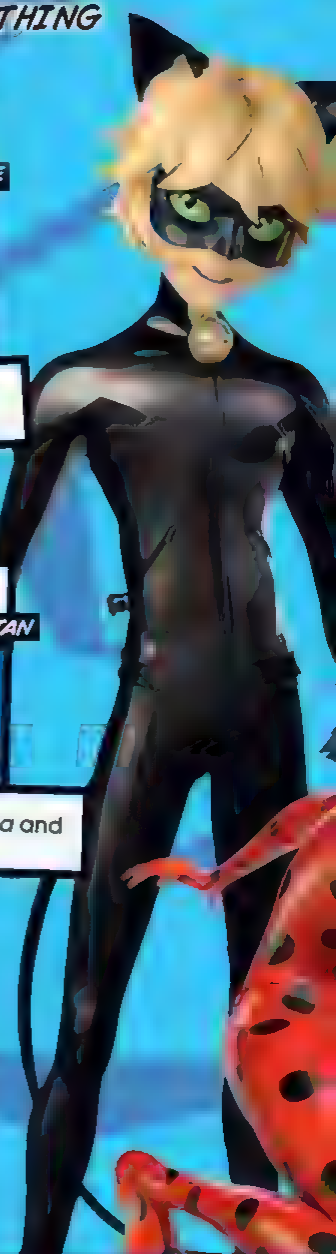
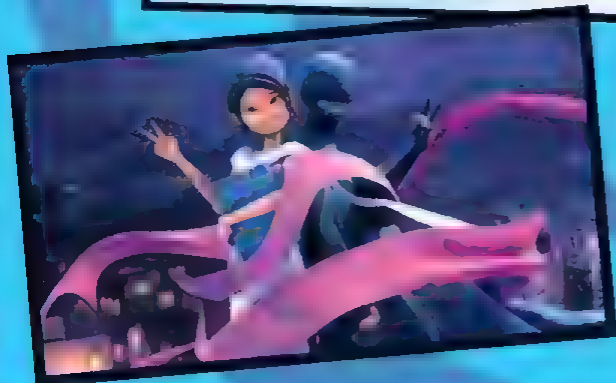
BURKA AVENGER



PAKISTAN

This woke series stars Jyoti, a brave teacher at an all-girls school, whose superhero identity is a fearless burka-wearing fighter called the Burka Avenger. Trained in the martial art of Takhi Kabadi, she takes down baddies by hurling books and pens that send 'em running or knock 'em out-cold.

WATCH THIS IF YOU LIKE: The Legend of Korra and Avengers Assemble



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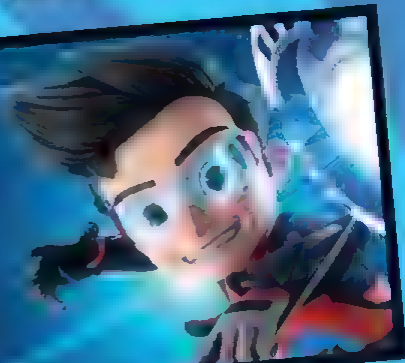
THESE T.V. GEMS FROM AROUND THE WORLD!

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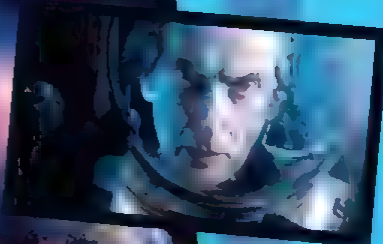


MALAYSIA

A secret hi-tech criminal organization infiltrates M.A.T.A. (Meia Advance Tactical Agency) and steals a prototype of the I.R.I.S. (Infinity Reimagined Intelligent System). But the crooks mess up and a schoolboy named Ali accidentally gains possession of the I.R.I.S., which grants him pre-programmed skills and nifty specs that alert him to danger. Ali soon becomes a M.A.T.A. agent who wields a shockwave-firing yo-yo and aero boots that help him jump across great distances. Pretty sweet deal for this accidental hero!



WATCH THIS IF YOU LIKE: Ben 10 and Max Steel



DOCTOR WHO



UNITED KINGDOM

Do you think road trips are turr' well, the Doctor can travel through all of space and time for some truly wibbly wobbly, timey wimey exploits. He encounters aliens, historical figures, robots, scary angel statues, and much more. He even brings along different companions for the ride. (Hey, you could be one of 'em!) The sci-fi series has been around since the 1960s, and although the Doctor has been played by various actors, he is just as popular as ever.

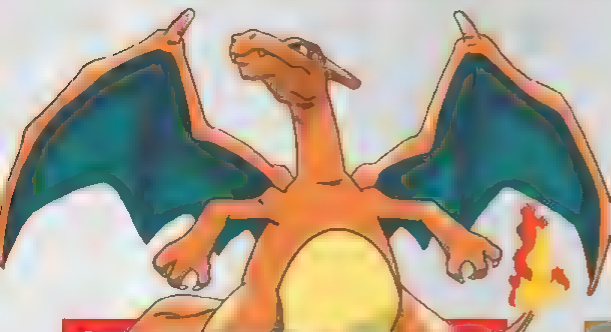
WATCH THIS IF YOU LIKE: Star Wars Rebels and Uncle Grandpa

Did you know? The TARDIS from Doctor Who was originally gonna blend in with its surroundings, thanks to its chameleon circuit. However, this effect was too expensive to pull off, so they just left the loonin' police box as is.



MYTHIC

THIS IS THE DREAM TEAM THAT WILL HELP ASH FINALLY NAB THAT



CHARIZARD

MOVES:

Dragon Claw	Aerial Ace
Flamethrower	Thunder Punch

When Charmander becomes a Charizard, it can use Fire-, Dragon-, and Flying-type moves! Just goes to show that the OG is still the best in the fighting biz.

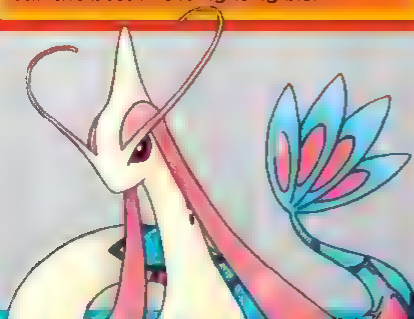


TYRANITAR

MOVES:

Crunch	Earthquake
Fire Punch	Stone Edge

Tyranitar may be slow, but its power is on the charts! During battle, its Sand Stream ability can unleash a destructive sandstorm to cause extra damage in the ultimate attacking machine!

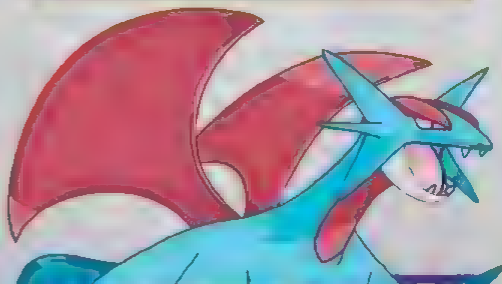


MILOTIC

MOVES:

Hydro Pump	Protect
Ice Beam	Recover

Feebas may be difficult to train, but Ash's hard work will surely pay off when the 'mon evolves into Milotic. Its defensive abilities, such as Protect and Recover, make it the perfect tank.



SALAMENCE

MOVES:

Dragon Claw/Outrage	Shadow Claw
Dragon Dance/Double Edge	Zen Headbutt

It's one of the fastest Dragon-types out there! Ash can beef up its attack and speed stats using Dragon Dance, or he can teach it extremely powerful moving-like Outrage and Double Edge.

AL 6

POKÉMON LEAGUE TROPHY!



FERROTHORN

MOVES:

Stealth Rock Toxic
Leech Seed Gyro Ball/Power Whip

As a Steel-type, FT's defense stat is crazeballs. It can withstand numerous attacks with minimal damage, while at the same time weakening its foe using Leech Seed and Toxic. Schweet!



SYLVEON

MOVES:

Dazzling Gleam/Moonblast Dig
Light Screen/Calm Mind Protect

Using a Fairy Stone, Sylveon can learn Dazzling Gleam or Moonblast. Using a Fairy Stone, Sylveon can learn Dazzling Gleam or Moonblast. Using a Fairy Stone, Sylveon can learn Dazzling Gleam or Moonblast.

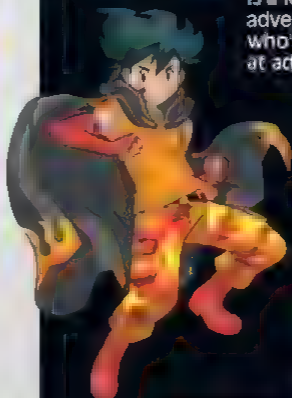
Team Rocket: Klaudia Vendivel and Wrenz Serrano
Illustrations: Elmer Damaso

THE EVOLUTION OF MAN

Check out these Ash-volutions!



From Ordinary to Extraordinary
Pokémon Trainer
Ash becomes less awkward and sports slicker steez.



From Extraordinary Trainer to Pokémon Master:
His Final form is a legit adventurer who's skilled at adulting.



Using a Fire Stone:
Beware this dude's extreme energy and hot temper!

Using a Water Stone:
Ash becomes the epitome of chill, just like his element, and uses cool logic to outsmart his foes.



Using a Leaf Stone:
This stealthy form can blend with the forest and whip up a mean salad.



GINTOKI'S KAMEHAMEHA PRACTICE SESH

The Yorozuya squad goes on a beach getaway and Gintoki wanders off into the forest. Shinsuke and Hasegawa later catch our silver-haired hero practicing the Kamehameha wave from the Dragon Ball series. What really sells this scene are the epic gestures, the colorful background, and the kids shouting, LOU!



SHINPACHI VS. TOSHI BOXING MATCH

We don't keep showing off the way Shinpachi when he shows off his fighting skills in a boxing match against Toshi's alter ego, Toshi. They brawl for the title of ultimate doorknocker, and our poop-brained sidekick holds his own, sealing his win with a double K.O.



TOILET PAPER BATTLE

When Utsuki, Ichi, Togo, and Bishamon pause mid-battle so they can take a poop break, they all run out of toilet paper and loudly/quietly/alternately talk about LOU-worthy. It would be very ironic if they play our IRL.



Allen Ambassadors: Karen de Vero and Victoria Liu

Y EPIC SCENES

WILL THESE GREAT GINTAMA MOMENTS MAKE IT TO THE BIG SCREEN? WE'RE CROSSING OUR FINGERS!

VISITING THE MAYONNAISE FACTORY

Imagine how Japanese people must imagine the excitement when they get the chance to visit the mayo factory. It's like watching him imagine Willy Wonka-style place where the ketchup is made of the gooey condiment. Maybe Gintama movie featuring him in this is real!



THE BENIZAKURA ARC

It's so hard to believe being here, but we often forget he's a brave warrior. Being him, in the Benizakura gang gives us all the love! Plus, Katsura joins the action and helps him take down an army of alien probes allied with the Isotates. #LikeABoss!

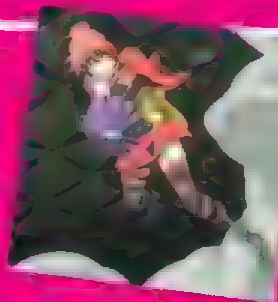


SKET DANCE CROSSOVER

A live-action version of this scene will surely satisfy both the Gintama and Sket Dance fans alike. Heck, maybe it could be like an Easter egg leading to a crossover Sket Dance movie.

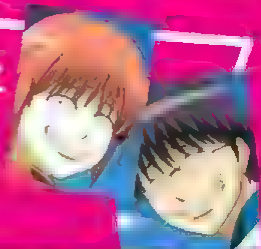
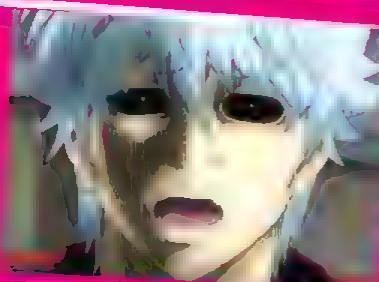
KATSURA'S YATO POWERS

Even if it is a small change, Yato is serious, she really needs business in the battlefield. We hope to see her ultimate power get the full HD treatment on the silver screen.



WHENEVER SOMEONE MAKES A FUNNY FACE

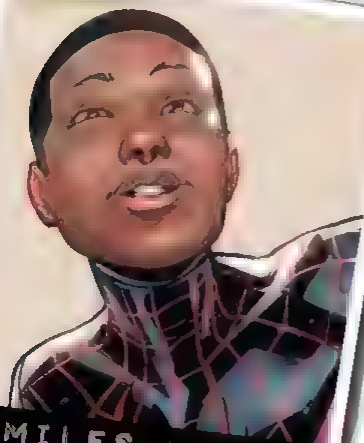
The Gintama peeps have the most meme-worthy expressions ever. Every one is guaranteed to be funny thanks to their extra reactions. They're like a bunch of walking emojis, TBH.





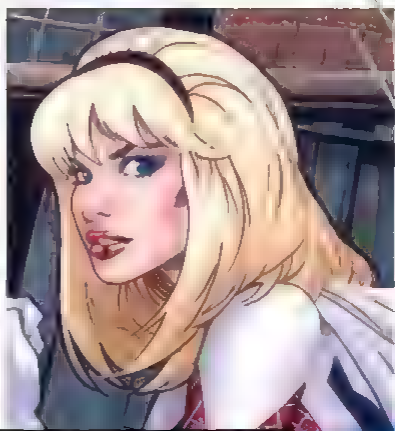
THE WEBSLINGERS' CLUB

PETER PARKER'S FELLOW WEB-HEADS
LEFT MESSAGES FOR OUR GEEKY
WALL-CRAWLING HERO.



MILES MORALES

A.K.A. Ultimate Spider-Man
Spidey Summary: After a spider bit Miles, he grew wings and got a job as a camouflage salesman.



GWEN STACY

A.K.A. Spider-Woman
Spidey Summary: She's the drummer of the Mary Janes and has a bit of detective work on the side.

"Hi, Peter! (Do I call you sir?) Can you give me pro tips on balancing school and heroics? Please, please, please!"

"Remember, Pete We didn't choose the spider life. The spider life chose us. P.S. I'm sure there's a song in there somewhere."



KAINE PARKER

A.K.A. Scarier Than Ever
Spidey Summary: Kaine is a former member of a spider-gang called the Sinister Six.

"Hey, Pete, hanging with you guys is fun and all, but I can't wait to escape these bore-chore superhero duties and go on a permanent vacay."



MIGUEL O'HARA

A.K.A. Future's Brightest
Spidey Summary: Miguel is a brilliant scientist who has a deep understanding of the future.

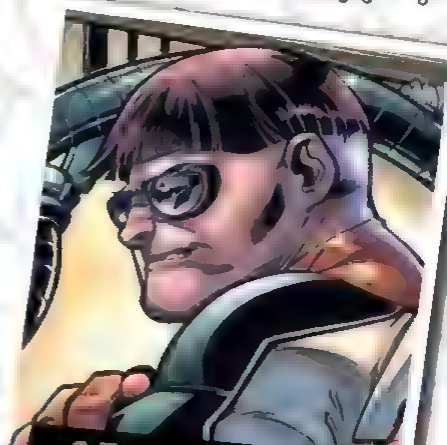
"Hey, Spider-Past! The future is really different from way back today. It's a shocking mess but I'm glad there's still a Spider-Man to make things great again."



JESSICA DREW

A.K.A. Spider-Woman
Spidey Summary: Jessica is a former member of the Sinister Six, possessing pheromones and the power to fly. She's also a B.I.L.D. agent.

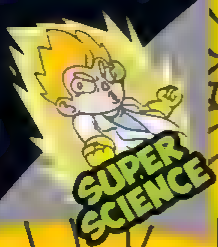
"Hello, Pete! Don't feel too bad about not possessing my superior flying skills. I guess gliding is close enough, right?"



OTTO OCTAVIUS

A.K.A. Superior Spider-Man
Spidey Summary: Otto is one of the greatest minds of our time and he's now the mightiest Spider-Man.

"YES, YYYEEESSS!!! Finally, I have fused my conscious mind with Parker's memories and body! RRAAHAAH!!! Accessing his memories now...wait, what?! Confounded Parker doesn't have a PhD?! Hold on, let me get one. I'm not Superior without it."



YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

MEET THE MOST AWESOMESAUCE ARACHNIDS

TARANTULA

APPEARANCE: Tarantulas are big, hairy creepy-crawlies. Most of 'em are brown, but some species sport a variety of markings on their legs and abdomens.

HABITAT: Most tarantulas live in forests.

WEB STYLE: Tarantula webs look like strings of cotton. They are used for reproduction and to signal that a prey is nearby.

DEFENSE STRATEGY:

A tarantula bite is venomous, but it's only as strong as a wasp's sting. These spiders prey on insects, mice, lizards, frogs, and even snakes!



GIANT HUNTSMAN SPIDER

APPEARANCE: The giant huntsman spider is the largest spider known to exist. Its leg span can reach up to 12 inches. Wide, dark bands decorate its yellowish-brown legs, which extend like crab limbs.

HABITAT: These spiders are usually cave dwellers, but can also be found in buildings and forests.

WEB STYLE: No webs for these eight-legged wonders! An adult GHS spends its time actively searching for prey.

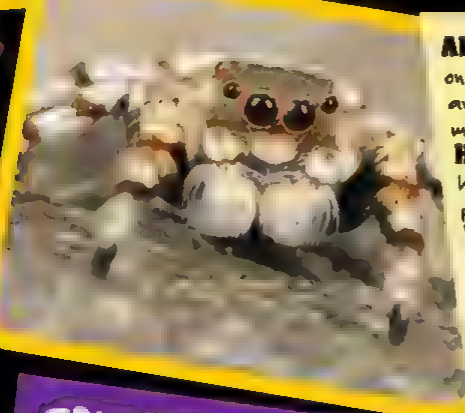
DEFENSE STRATEGY: GH spiders are venomous, but their venom isn't strong enough to cause humans serious medical concern.



FRIENDLY OD SPIDER GUIDE

THIS SIDE OF THE SPIDERVERSE.

JUMPING SPIDER



APPEARANCE: Jumping spiders have two pairs of eyes, one pair is larger than the other. (Creepy!) Their bodies are colorful and hairy, and they measure 13 to 20 millimeters in length.

HABITAT: These spiders live in tropical regions, with habitats ranging from treetops to the underside of a pile of leaves.

WEB STYLE: These critters build a variety of webs. Some look like ordinary spider webs, while others are funnel-shaped and designed to lure prey.

DEFENSE STRATEGY: This kind of arachnid leaps to safety when escaping predators.

SPINY ORB-WEAVER SPIDERS

APPEARANCE: Spiny orb-weavers have visible spines that look like horns. These tiny spikes, along with their colorful abdomens, serve to intimidate their prey.

HABITAT: These spiders are usually found in gardens, forests, and fields.

WEB STYLE: Orb-weavers build spiral, wheel-shaped webs that have a sticky final layer to trap prey. They reconstruct their webs daily.

DEFENSE STRATEGY: If a prey is venomous, an orb-weaver will wrap the prey in silk before taking a bite.



BLACK ARMORED TRAPDOOR SPIDER

APPEARANCE: Mostly black in color, this spider has a lighter abdomen and fat, hairy legs.

HABITAT: Trapdoor spiders live in caves, forests, and earthen banks.

WEB STYLE: This arachnid is so named because it builds a burrow underground, with a trapdoor that's covered with earth and moss. It connects its silk to the burrow to detect the movement of prey aboveground.

DEFENSE STRATEGY: The trapdoor spider constructs a well-camouflaged home. When it senses movement above, it emerges from its burrow to capture its unsuspecting lunch.





READ

TEAM KZ SAILS ACROSS

WHAT IS FLOWRIDING?

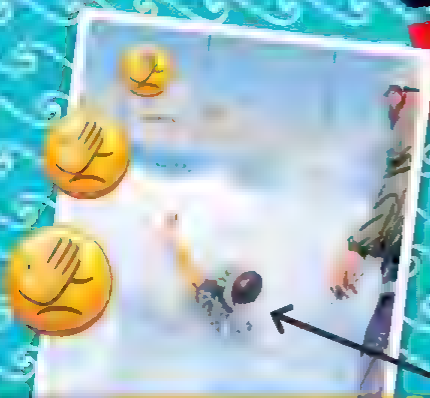
Flowriding, or flowboarding, is the sport of riding artificial waves called "sheet waves."



PRE-GAME PREP

Here are a few reminders before you start **slippin' and slidin'.**

1. Wear the proper swimming attire. It's highly advisable to wear a rashguard and board shorts to prevent scratches. Better safe than sorry, folks.
2. Slap on some sunscreen before going into the water. #SayNoToSunburn
3. Don't be afraid. Just listen to the instructions carefully and you'll be fine. Ya don't wanna end up an epic fail like this dude. (That's just JB, BTW.)



Y, SET, FLOW!

THE SEVEN SEAS TO CONQUER THE WAVES AT FLOW HOUSE MANILA.

HELLO, WAVERIDER!

MAKE LIKE MOANA BY FOLLOWING THESE STEPS!

1. Get into position. Lie down on your belly if you're bodyboarding, kneel on the board if you're kneeboarding, and stand on it if you're doing advanced or standing.
2. As the instructor slowly positions you on the waves, balance your weight on the board and don't panic. If you're doing knee- or advanced boarding, you can lift your arms into a T shape to help you balance. You can steer the board by placing your weight in the direction you wanna go.
3. For advanced, stand on the board with your front foot at a 45-degree angle. Put your weight on your back foot as you ride. Maintain your balance, and you're doing it, bruh!

Unlike surfing in a regular wave pool, you'll be using a shorter board and encountering continuous waves in flowriding. Having experience in surfing, wakeboarding, longboarding, or skateboarding will make it easier for you to learn this sport.

THE THREE KINDS OF FLOWBOARDING ARE BODYBOARDING, KNEEBOARDING, AND THE ADVANCED VERSH A.K.A. STANDING.

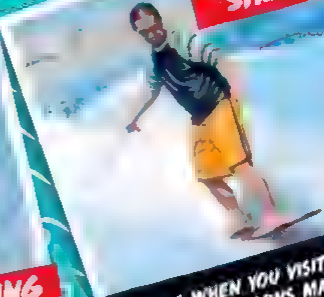
BODYBOARDING



KNEEBOARDING



STANDING



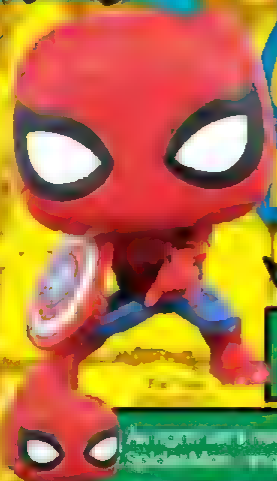
TRY FLOWBOARDING WHEN YOU VISIT FLOW HOUSE MANILA AT SEASONS MALL MOLINO BOULEVARD, BACOR, LAVITE.

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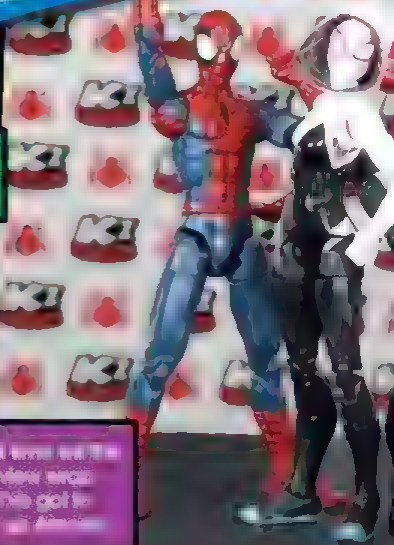
SPIDER

We've got the exclusive on Funko POP! Spidey's interview with his fellow Spider-peeps about his new flick, *Spider-Man: Homecoming*.
Click: [Spider-Man: Homecoming](#)



Hi, I'm Tom Holland, Spidey! Let's meet our special guests.

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Hi, there! I think it's fine I was wondering, though, if you could ask the movie execs to include me in the sequel.

I'd rate it 8/10. Would've been worthy of a 10 if your web-shooters were as cool as mine. Hehe!

Hi, I'm Tom Holland, Spidey! Let's meet our special guests.

Hi, Spider-Gwen and Spider-Woman! I'm Tom, the new Spider-Man. What was your favorite part of the movie?

Hi, I'm Tom Holland, Spidey! Let's meet our special guests.

Hi, I'm Tom Holland, Spidey! Let's meet our special guests.

Not yet. Mom won't allow me to watch it 'til I finish my school project. Bummer.

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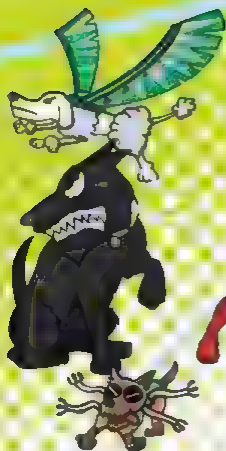
Definitely. I must say though, Vulture was this close to kicking your sticky butt, Spidey.

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WEBBED FEATS

Spidey's web-shooter is the ultimate multitasking tool! Check out its cool alt uses.



LEASH

Heading out to walk the dog? No need to bother with a collar and a leash, 'coz you can use webbing to make sure your pupper doesn't bolt.

TENNIS/BADMINTON RACKET STRING

You'll be a smashing hit (geddit?) on the court when you replace the boring ol' strings on your racket with a webbed-up versh. Not only will it produce good tension and bounce, but it also doubles as a makeshift net to catch baddies after a match.

JUMP ROPE

It's the best way to get in tiptop superhero shape at zero cost. Work out and burn those carbs!

GUITAR STRING

Guitar string snapping in the middle of a fun jam sesh with friends? Hand your instrument over to Spidey! Tune them strings after, then try playing the classic Spider-Man theme.





CLOTHESLINE

After doing your laundry, stick a thick strand of Spidey's web on two posts or trees, and voila! Hang away, fam.

BELT

How about swapping your leather belt with a spider silk one? It might not be your #aesthetic, but you don't have to fuss with buckles and you'll always get the right size.



KITE LINE

Poke a small hole in your kite where the two sticks cross, and zap some spider web on it. Done, son!

THREAD

Your costume got ripped? No prob! A quick stitch with some webbing and you're good to go.

LANYARD

Never lose your school ID again with this super stretchy string around your neck. It can hold your ID, keys, pen, and all sorts of stuff without breaking loose.

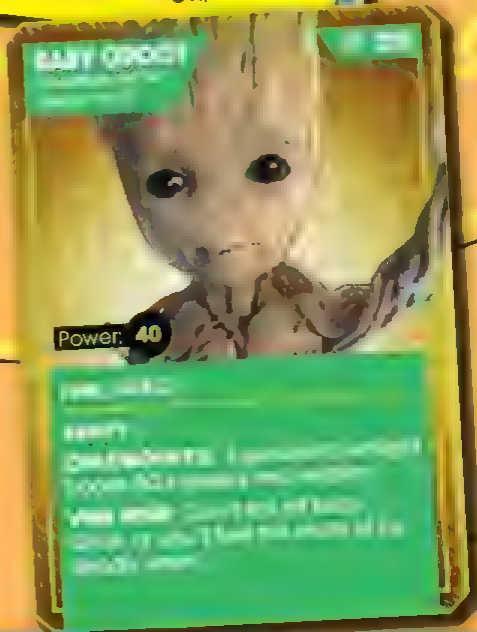
FLOSS

Free your pearly whites of nasty food chunks by using Spider-Man's sticky string. Now, you don't have any excuses when your dentist asks if you floss on the reg.



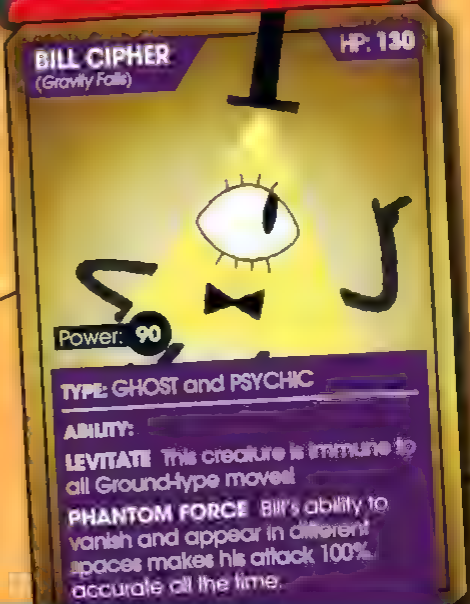


WHO'S THAT PO



POKÉMON?

WE GAVE THESE
CHOICE CHARACTERS
POKÉ-STYLE STATS
AND ABILITIES! DO
YOU THINK THEY CAN
JOIN ASH'S CREW?





WE ASKED THESE
LET'S SEE WHAT



EGO

HOME PLANET:

EGO THE LIVING PLANET

Yup, I'm a sentient planet,
and I'm reppin' myself. Got
a problem with that? What's
that? People say I'm a bad
guy? Of course not! I'm just
really powerful and swish.
Come visit! Don't worry about
my big mouth opening as you
approach—that's just me
giving you a warm,
welcoming grin.



CABBA

HOME PLANET SADLA



LUMPY SPACE PRINCESS

HOME PLANET: LUMPY SPACE

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CHARACTERS TO REP THEIR HOME WORLDS THEY HAVE TO SAY.

Planeteer: Moah Bull

SUPERMAN

HOME PLANET: **KRYPTON**

Hello, Superman's the name.
My home world, Krypton,
exploded and all of its
inhabitants were killed.
I only survived 'coz my dad
put me in a rocket and sent
me to Earth. Who knows,
though? Maybe there were
other survivors. How 'bout you
and I go on a wish
to find out?



BUMBLEBEE

HOME PLANET:
CYBERTRON

Hiyee! Pony Head and I
would be stoked to tour you
around our fantastical, fairy
tale-looking home. Mewni
has kingdoms and castles,
dangerous forests, and
even an Underworld.
We're gonna have a real
r adventure here. See you
soon, 'mkay? Hugs!



Bumblebee here,
reporting for duty! Ah, yes,
Cybertron is my home planet.
I s'pose it's cool and all, but it's also
at war most of the time. Honestly,
it's hard to keep track of whether
it's been annihilated or restored.
Depends who you ask, I guess. If you
ask me, I quite like Earth.
It's unpredictable
and exciting!

CHIRRUT IMWE

HOME PLANET: **JEDHA**

I am one with the Force. The
Force is with me... Oh, hello
there. My friend Baze Malbus
and I come from Jedha,
which isn't a planet but a
desert moon of the planet
Najedha. If you believe in
the Force, you must come to
the Holy City and visit the
Temple of the Kyber!



I know it doesn't look
like a planet, but in my
job, I know it is my
home and it's like pretty
much. There's a weird
party called Homecoming
and you can take your
crush to Makeout Point
afterwards. Just avoid
the smooth posers and
try not to fall into
the Lumpy Abyss.



WE GO

MOVE OVER, ANT-MAN
NEW CREEPY-CRAWLY

REAL NAME: JEREMIAS BALDOMERO
"JB" CANAY
SUPERHERO NAME: PAPA ROACH
ABILITIES: THIS FLYING COCKROACH CAN ATTACK MID-AIR BY SHOOTING EGGS THAT HATCH INTO MINI ROACHES (STORED IN HIS TUMMY) AT UNSUSPECTING TARGETS. PAPA ROACH CAN ALSO CONTROL HIS BABY BUG ARMY TO FORM ANY WEAPON HE WISHES, BUT HE NEEDS TO TAKE FREQUENT NAPS IN ORDER TO RECHARGE HIS POWER.

REAL NAME: KAREN MAE DE VERA
SUPERHERO NAME: THE BUZZ
ABILITIES: THIS SUPAN FLY FEMALE UNLEASHES A VARIETY OF BUZZES THAT INCAPACITATE HER FOES. HER SONIC BUZZ MAKES HER ENEMIES DEAF, WHILE HER SPECIAL ATTACK, THE BUZZER BEATER, KNOCKS 'EM DOWN WITH ONE MIGHTY HIT.

REAL NAME: GRACE MARCELLANA
SUPERHERO NAME: QUEEN TEE
ABILITIES: ALL HAIL THE TERMITES QUEEN! SHE PRODUCES 30,000 EXPLODING EGGS A DAY—STEPPING ON ONE WILL MAKE THE WHOLE ROOM GO KABOOM! WITH THE WHOLE COLONY AT HER DISPOSAL, QUEEN TEE SENDS THE WORKER TERMITES TO DELIVER "EGG BASKETS" TO THE VILLAINS WHILE SHE SITS ON HER THRONE AND DECORATES HER BURRITO-LOOKING BODY IN GEEKY STICKERS.



DOT BIT!

AND WASP. THERE'S A
HERO SQUAD IN TOWN!



REAL NAME: WRENZ SERRANO
SUPERHERO NAME: THE MIGHTY MOSK
ABILITIES: MIGHTY MOSK'S STINGER BEAM PARALYZES ITS TARGET UPON CONTACT. BEWARE OF HIS M-BLADE, TOO! HE SWINGS IT TO UNLEASH THE S.M.A.T.T.E.R. (A.K.A. SUPER WEAPON ATTACK TACKLING THOSE EVIL RNALS), A FEROCIOUS SLASHING MOVE THAT CAN CUT THROUGH ANYTHING.

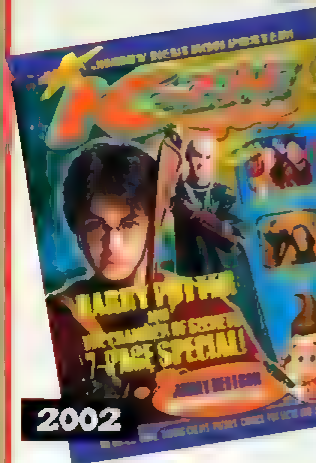
REAL NAME: DANIELLE FE BENITO
SUPERHERO NAME: 60 CENT
ABILITIES: THIS BUG'S ATTACKS INCLUDE MULTITASK, POWER COIL, AND HER SIGNATURE FINISHING MOVE, TALK TO THE HANDS, IN WHICH SHE SLAPS HER ENEMY USING ALL 60 PAIRS OF LIMBS. KAPOW!

REAL NAME: MICAH SULIT
SUPERHERO NAME: LICE LICE BABY
ABILITIES: WITH HER ANTENNAS, SHE CONTROLS LICE AND USES THEM AGAINST FOES, JUST LIKE SHINO'S INSECT-BASED JUTSUS IN MARUTO. THESE INSECTS DISTRACT THE TARGET WHILE SHE PREPS HER MOST POWERFUL ATTACK, THE SCALP WARP, WHICH TELEPORTS HER OPPONENTS TO AN ALTERNATE DIMENSION KNOWN AS URHAIR.

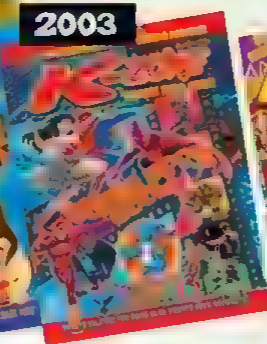


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WHOA! THE EVOLUTION OF K-ZONE COVERS LEFT DEFFO REMAINED THE SAME, THOUGH—THROUGH BEEN KILLIN' IT WITH THE BOSSEST FEATURES.



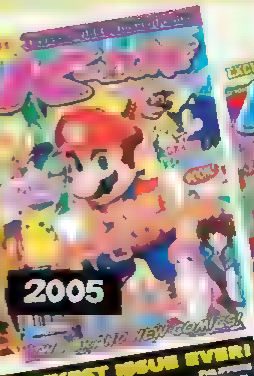
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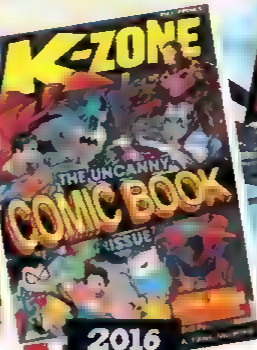
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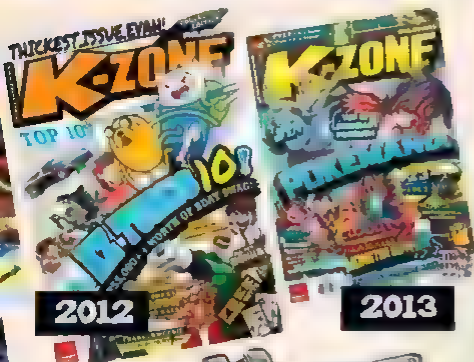
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AND NOW, A WORD FROM PREVIOUS EDITORS IN CHIEF...

K-Zone was my baby. It was the first magazine I was going to launch, one I was going to have full control over (well, to a certain degree, of course). And one that taught me so much! My heart breaks to say goodbye to the magazine that made me an editor in chief for the first time, the magazine that made me believe in myself, and the magazine that taught me that having fun can and should be serious business.

INES BAUTISTA-YAO



Bidding K-Zone a final farewell is heartbreaking. K-Zone and K-Zoners were a part of my life for 11 years! I loved every moment of making the magazine for you and being a part of your lives, my dear K-Zoners. Through the years, I've had a lot of you come up to me and say, "I'm a K-Zoner!" or "I was a K-Zoner!" And it was always such a thrill for me to meet you guys and hear about how much you love or loved the magazine I love just as much.

I also loved working with some of the most inspiring and amazing people I know. It was an incredible honor and privilege to be surrounded by such creative, hardworking folks. They always did everything with heart and passion.
#TeamKZForever

To my beloved K-Zoners and teammates, I'll see you out there in the real world! The magazine may be gone, but the KZ spirit will always live on in our hearts!

MAGGIE ADAN



What's up, KZ kids? I just wanted all of you to know that the one year I served as K-Zone's editor in chief was one of the best years of my life. I did my best to promote the values I believe are key to becoming an awesome human being. For me, embracing your weirdness, having a sense of adventure, and putting a premium on smarts over swagger are necessary in navigating this crazy planet we inhabit. I know, endings are sad. But the best thing about endings is that they're gateways to new beginnings. Just because one door closes doesn't mean there's no window for you to crawl out of. And who knows? That window just might lead to a weird land of adventure filled with intelligent beings from outer space. Keep your head up. Stay cool. Sometimes, things need to end, but that doesn't necessarily mean the fun has to stop.

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COMING SOON

STILLS



SPIDEY STEEZ

NO COSTUME? NO PROBLEM! WE MADE LIKE PETER PARKER AND DESIGNED OUR SUPER SUIT FROM SCRATCH.

SPIDER SIGHT

Shield yourself from distractions (and water) with these black goggles. P299.75, SMS Accessories at Robinsons Department Store

ACE UP ONE'S SLEEVE

Prepare to fight baddies during this rainy season! Keep toasty warm in a blue long-sleeved shirt. P399.75, Ego Denim at Robinsons Department Store

SECRET IDENTITY

Keep peeps from ID-ing you by hiding your mug behind a multipurpose bandanna. P79.75, Robinsons Department Store

WEB WARRIOR

They ain't web-shooters, but these bracelets look legit. P169.75, MJ by McJin at Zalora

SUIT UP

Store snacks or a secret wep in the pocket of this sweatshirt (sleeves removed to become a vest). P599.75, Conquest at Robinsons Department Store

HAVE A LEG UP ON FOES

'Coz superheroes can't save the world without (jogging) pants. P699.75, Conquest at Robinsons Department Store

WALL CRAWLER

Scale buildings with the help of these kick-butt sneaks. Air Max Infiltrate Low, P4,195, Nike at Robinsons Department Store

KNOCK YER SOCKS OFF

Create the illusion of boots with these knee-high socks. P174.75, Dunlop at Robinsons Department Store



MIK MIK CAKE

Cake Kingdom: The Baker's Table

Inspired by and made with the Mik Mik milk powder candy, this airy and moist mousse cake has milky icing between the chocolate layers. The frosted treat goes perfectly with a milkshake, trust!



POTCHI CAKE

Cake Kingdom: The Baker's Table

This dessert absolutely does the classic gummy candy justice. It's a silky-soft vanilla and strawberry cheesecake with a top layer made from melted Potchi—oh-so-delish!



RAINBOW CAKE

Cake Kingdom: The Baker's Table

This towering cake's six layers of technicolored goodness scream unicorns and happiness. One slice will surely make any dull day rainbow-bright. It's totally Insta-worthy, too, so you better snap a pic before taking a bite!



OREO CHEESECAKE

Cake Kingdom: The Baker's Table

This ain't your reg cheesecake, bruv! The thick crust balances out the sweet, caramel-like texture of the cheesecake itself. It even has a cookie crown, so you know it's made with the legit stuff.

LET THEM EAT CAKE!
HAVE A SLICE OF THE COOLEST CAKES IN TOWN.



MYTH 8

Put these places on your travel bucket list if you're

FOR DEMIGODS

If you dig Rick Riordan's *Percy Jackson and the Olympians* series, you can go on a quest to visit the following places. Fear not, for you won't be in any real danger—unless you look for trouble, of course.

THE PARthenon



A full-scale replica of the ancient Greek Parthenon can be found in Nashville, Tennessee. The *Percy Jackson* movie was shot there, and while you won't find a Hydra, you certainly won't miss the 42-foot-tall statue of Athena.

THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART



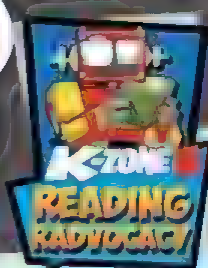
Percy's epic adventures began during a school field trip to New York's Met Museum, the largest museum in the States. The Met now offers a special *PJ* map so you can trace Percy's footsteps and "meet" the Greek characters in *The Lightning Thief*. Oh, and look out for suspicious peeps who might secretly be Furies.

CAMP HALF-BLOOD

Welcome to Camp Half-Blood, demigod! This summer camp takes place in Brooklyn, not Long Island, but it's as close as you can get to the real deal. You'll forge your own armor, train as a master swordsman (don't worry, the swords are made of enchanted foam), learn to work with a team, and embark on quests to prove your heroism.



MAGIC



a fan of the *Harry Potter* and *Percy Jackson* books!

FOR POTTERHEADS

J.K. Rowling's magical world has inspired tons of establishments, from *HP*-themed cafés to world-class theme parks. Here are the top three attractions to visit via Floo powder.

THE ELEPHANT HOUSE

Rowling wrote large portions of the early *HP* books in this unassuming café in Edinburgh, Scotland. After finishing your hot chocolate, you can walk to Greyfriars Kirkyard, a cemetery where Rowling got ideas for character names (you'll even find a tombstone for a Mr. Thomas Riddell) and look up at the private Edinburgh House's School of Witchcraft & Wizardry, the inspiration for Hogwarts.



WARNER BROS. STUDIO TOUR LONDON: THE MAKING OF HARRY POTTER

If you ever find a Portkey to London, don't miss the Studio Tour in Leavesden. Located next to the actual studios where the *HP* flicks were filmed, the Studio Tour boasts a jaw-dropping collection of sets, costumes, props, and animatronics that would make any Potterhead hyperventilate.



THE WIZARDING WORLD OF HARRY POTTER

Visit the Wizarding World of Harry Potter in Orlando, FL, or Japan! Don your house robes and head to The Wizarding World of Harry Potter. Make a beeline for the top attraction, a ride called Hagrid's Pottery and the Forbidden Journey, then check out all the House-specific and Diagon Alley shops. And since Butterbeer isn't



WHAT LIES BENEATH

ONCE IT LATCHES ON, IT WILL NEVER LET GO

Johnny grimaced while reading the chapter on leeches in his science book. Leeches gave him the heebie jeebies—how they can latch onto your body and make tiny Y-shaped punctures on your skin so they can drink your blood with their suckers (A.K.A. mouths). The leech would then leave you alone, but later return with a swarm. Anyone would, and should, freak out.

Johnny checked the clock. It was past 10:00 PM. He bookmarked the page with a pencil before placing the book under his pillow. *This probably wasn't the best bedtime reading*, he thought. Outside, it drizzled, and the soft tapping of the raindrops against the windows lulled him to sleep.

In the darkness, Johnny felt a sudden dampness. *Well, it's raining*, he told himself, his eyes still shut as he was trying to get some sleep. His ears felt uneasy—cold. He thumbed his earlobe, the one that wasn't pressed against his pillow. Why was it wet? He sat up quickly. He looked for an open window, but all the windows were closed and it had stopped raining. He touched the same ear again. It was dry this time. He must've been imagining things. He lay down again. "Ouch!" he yelped a little too loudly. Something had poked his neck from under the pillow.

Johnny turned on his bedside lamp. The pencil had slipped out from the book and it was the sharp end that poked him. He put it away, then turned off the light and pulled the covers closer. He shut his eyes a little tighter and fell asleep.

The next day, Johnny's mom announced that they were visiting a lake. On a whim, she decided that they would go on one last summer road trip before school resumed—as soon as Dad got back from work. Also, Johnny's pet dog Ajax could come and sit beside him in the car.

The family arrived at the house by the lake later in the afternoon. Johnny and Ajax went for a walk while Mom, Dad, and his sister Sam unpacked. "Don't wander too far," Dad said. "I'll just rest my back after that long drive, and then I'll catch up with you."

Johnny and Ajax jogged for a while. A skinny kid and a small, hairless dog with a collar, but no leash. Ajax didn't need it. He followed Johnny around whenever they went for walks, and he always responded to his owner's voice. He was what they called a "good boy."

It was getting dark pretty quickly. Johnny lost track of time while walking along the mouth of the lake, taking in the surroundings. His sandals had collected gunk throughout their excursion, so he walked to the water to wash it off. Ajax followed. He wet his tummy and went further in, submerging his shoulders.

Johnny was enjoying wading in the water when Ajax let out an unexpected howl. Johnny turned and scrambled toward him. Ajax made whimpering sounds, which worried Johnny. There were things sticking out of his pet. He dragged Ajax to shore. The slimy things were stuck to Ajax's stomach and shins. They glistened in the moonlight. Johnny knew what



they were. He peeled them off his dog one by one. How many? He lost count after the eighth leech. He tried to get a grip on the cold, slippery parasites, yanking them off forcefully but gently so it didn't hurt Ajax, and then unceremoniously throwing them back into the water. Ajax licked his master's hands to thank him. Johnny was just relieved that his dog wasn't hurt. He stroked Ajax's ears and neck, then noticed that his collar was missing. Johnny looked for it by the shore but didn't find it. Just then, he saw a glint of metal in the shallow part of the lake. He told Ajax to stay put, then went into the lake to retrieve the dog's collar.

The cold water stung this time. It made Johnny retract his hand before submerging it again, closing his fingers around the collar and fishing it out of the water. On the lakeshore, Ajax stayed in his spot, just as he was asked, but he was barking his head off. The water was moving, even though Johnny was standing still. The water was freezing now, lapping against Johnny's knees. He heard clicking noises and turned around.

From the lake's depths emerged a ginormous leech. It was as wide as a boat and stood a good 10 feet tall. The slimy creature had rows of sharp teeth the size of Johnny's thumbs, and a mouth that could easily fit his head. The creature made disgusting squelching noises as it dragged its body through the

water. Johnny was supposed to be running now, but he was frozen in place. The clicking and slithering grew louder.

Ajax's barking grew louder, too. "Ajax! Please get help!" Johnny cried. Ajax bolted in the opposite direction. Johnny felt on his back as the monstrous insect crept closer. He felt a cold, rubbery sheet hugging his legs, his arms, and his face. He closed his eyes and braced himself for the stinging pain, but it didn't come. Johnny passed out.

When he awoke, he was back in his room in their vacation home. He went down to check on everybody. His mom lectured him for falling asleep by the lake. His dad had to carry him all the way back. Relief washed over Johnny, but not for long. A clicking noise made him shudder. *This isn't happening,* he thought.

His mom, dad, and sister heard it, too. They all looked at each other as the clicking noise filled the room. Ajax started jumping and barking. A creature as big as Johnny's thumb swiftly crept in through the window. Loud clicking noises came from its oversized pincers. This was no ordinary leech. Another leech slithered in, and then another, and another. Something larger was breaking down the door. A swarm was upon them before Johnny could open his mouth to scream.

WEAR AND CARE

Ready yourself for a day of lazing about the house.



SLIP INTO SLEEPWEAR

Get cozy and comfy by wearing the softest fabrics. Put on a loose shirt (the more worn-out, the better), shorts or pj bottoms, and bedroom slippers for maximum chill.



VACATION STATION

Deck out the living room so it looks like a resort. Add streamers or beach chairs, and wear sunnies around the house. (Ask the 'rents first before you do some redecorating.)

I CHOOSE YOU

We help you and your peeps decide the day's activities.



POP IT

Grab a bunch of popsicle sticks. With the help of your fam, write an activity on each piece. Then, take turns picking a stick! If you wanna be extra about it, color the ends and group the activities according to where they'll take place.



ROYAL RUMBLE

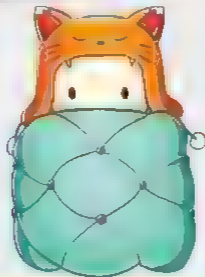
Craft a crown out of any material in the house. Go crazeballs with the design! Wear the crown in turns. Whoever has it gets to pick what activity to do next.



LIFE HACK

CUSHY MOVES

Stop tossing and turning in bed.



BURRITO BLANKET

Freezing yer butt off at night? Wrap yourself in blankets and comforters until you're warm and toasty. Or better yet, ask the 'rents to roll ya into a comfy cocoon.

COUCH POTATO-ING

INSTA-CLEAN



Keep hand sanitizer and wet wipes within reach to get rid of crumbs or icky cheese dust. And when you're done for the day, don't forget to wash your hands with water and soap.

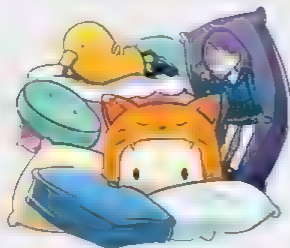
JUST ROLL WITH IT



Are you about to eat a messy snack like pizza or an open-faced sandwich? Just roll it so that you only touch the dry part of the food.

STAYCATION EDITION

SEA OF PILLOWS



Fluff up some pillows and arrange them in a way that supports your entire bod. Or, find that sweet spot on the couch where you can curl up for hours.

THAT'S A STRETCH!

Are you way too deep in the comfort zone?

EXTENDABLE CLAW



You can find this at most toy stores. It can even double as a back scratcher.

UMBRELLA



Use the broly's hook to drag your school bag closer to you and the pointy end to close the door.

SPELL BOOK



Cast Accio to summon that bowl of popcorn from the kitchen. The catch? It only works if yer a wizard like Harry.

YOUNGER SIB / COUSIN



Kindly ask them to grab the remote so as not to disturb your chillaxing sesh. After all, what are minions for, right?

PLANETARY PARADE

Learn more about our cosmic neighbors!



Sun

Mercury

A.K.A. That fast lil' rock
Moons: 0

Size compared to Earth: 0.3829 Earth's

The planet closest to the sun reaches temperatures as high as 430°C and as low as -180°C because it has no atmosphere to insulate it. Mercury also travels fast! In fact, a year on that planet only lasts 88 Earth days!

Venus

A.K.A. That hot dot
Moons: 0

Size compared to Earth: 0.9499 Earth's

Venus is the hottest planet in the solar system because its thick carbon dioxide atmosphere traps heat. Fun fact: Because Venus revolves around the sun faster than it rotates on its axis, a day on Venus is equivalent to 243 Earth days while a year equals only 225 Earth days!

Earth

A.K.A. That green and blue marble
Moons: 1

Radius: 6,371 km

While the other planets were named after Roman deities, "Earth" came from a Germanic word that translates to "ground." Our planet is an oblate ellipsoid—round but a bit flattened at the poles.

Mars

A.K.A. The red planet
Moons: 2

Size compared to Earth: 0.53 Earth's

The two moons of the planet surface gives Mars its reddish appearance. It's home to Olympus Mons, the largest volcano in the solar system.

Terrestrial Planets

These planets have big rocky cores and are closest to the sun.



Jovian Planets

These planets have small, solid cores and are mostly made up of different gases.

WHAT HAPPENED

TO PLUTO?

For years, scientists debated the dwarf planet's inclusion in the solar system. Now, it's considered part of the Kuiper Belt—a territory filled with thousands of asteroids and minor planets.

Neptune

A.K.A. *That windy world*

Moons: 14

Radius: 3,883 Earths

Neptune is the windiest planet in the solar system. The wind speeds in this ice giant's atmosphere can reach 2,400 kph—nine times stronger than the mightiest Earth winds.

Uranus

A.K.A. *That wonky blue-green globe*

Moons: 27

Radius: 4,007 Earths

This ice giant spins backwards and on its side, and its temperature can go as low as -224.2 °C. The planet gets its blue tint from the methane gas in its atmosphere.

Saturn

A.K.A. *That orb with lotsa rings*

Moons: 62

Size compared to Earth: 9,4492 Earths

Saturn is one big ball of hydrogen and helium, making it the least dense planet in the solar system. It's surrounded by thousands of rings that are made up of ice and rock, and its gravitational pull is 578 times stronger than that of Earth.

Jupiter

A.K.A. *That ginormous sphere*

Moons: 69

Size compared to Earth: 11,209 Earths

Jupiter is the largest planet in our solar system and has the most moons orbiting around it. The planet is so huge that if you combine the masses of all the other planets, Jupiter would still be heavier.

QUICK DRAW

How To Draw:

Step 1
Sketching Ho-Oh's basic
shapes using a pencil

Draw a circle for
Ho-Oh's head, torso,
legs, and feet.

Draw a longer oval
and triangles
for its beak.

Make sausage
outlines for
its wings and
a fan shape
for its tail.

Draw a
circle for
Ho-Oh's
feet.

Step 2
Detail, please!

Draw a pair of circles for the
Ho-Oh's eyes. Then use straight
and curved lines for the details in
the neck and crown.

Use fine
lightning bolt
lines to draw
the wing.

Finally, draw
its talons.

HO-OH

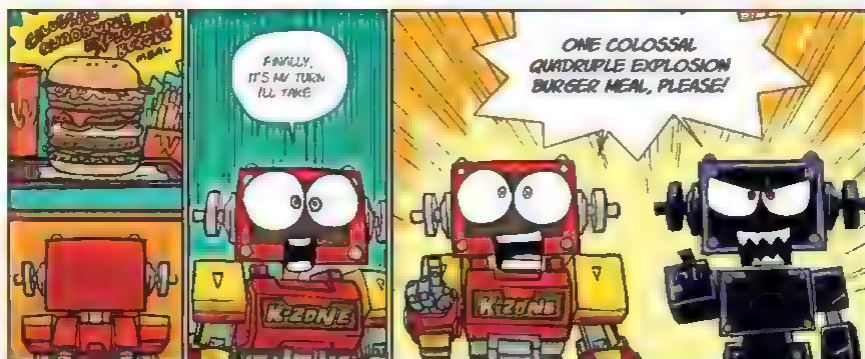
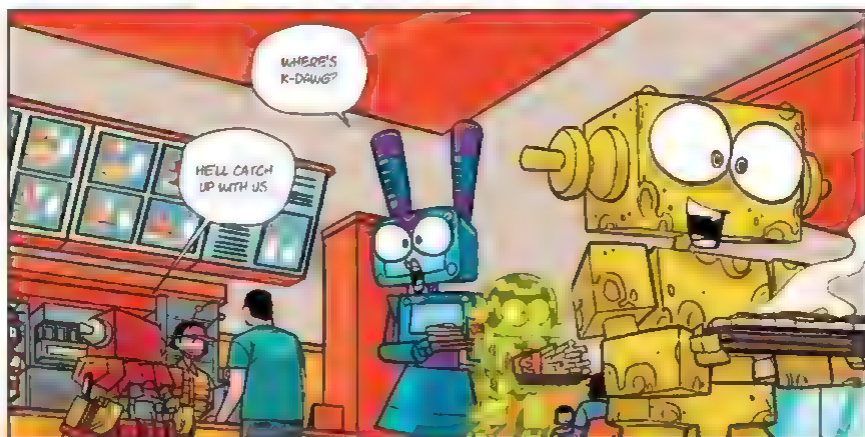
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Finishing touches

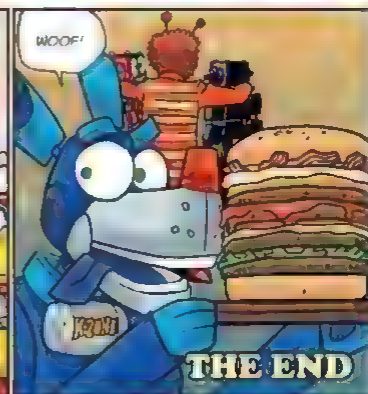
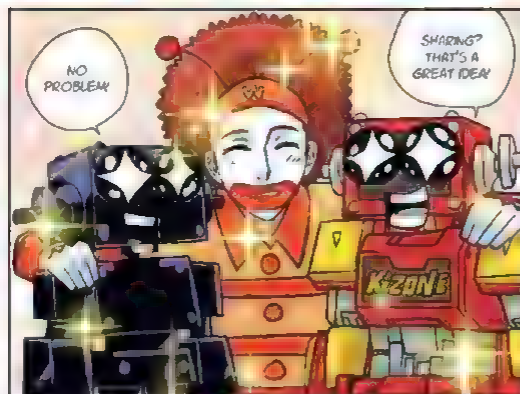
Using a variety of black and grey markers, fill your drawing with the final details. Finish the eyes, making them the last step.

Step 4: LEGENDARY!

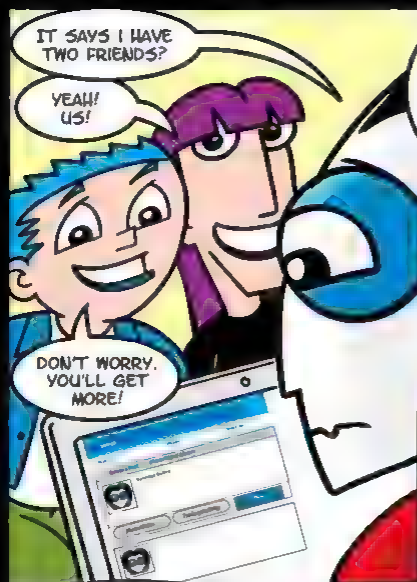
Almost ready? It's time to fill in the body, wings, and feathers with real color. Use the same colors as the head, chest, and tail are yellow. Use the same colors as the body and use different shades to make depth to your work. Add your Black Ball coloring. You're ready to take flight!











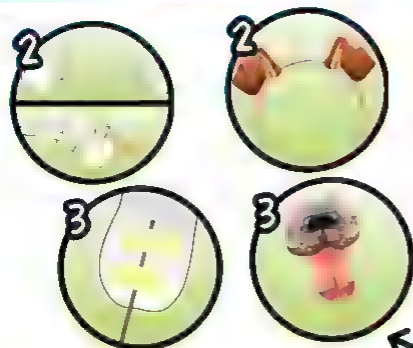
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PUPPER PROPS



HOW TO MAKE YOUR KZ PAPER POP FILTER:

- 1 Cut out each piece of the dog selfie props.
- 2 Attach the EARS to each end of the BAND using tape. Then, take a barbecue stick (don't forget to remove the pointy end) and tape it behind one of the ears. "Wear" the dog ears by placing them on top of your head. If that ain't your style, you can use tape or hot glue to stick the ears on a headband. Remember to ask help from the tents when handling a glue gun, fam!
- 3 Use a brown bandage band to attach it to the back of the SNOOUT. Now, hold up your doggy props and take a paw-some selfie!



CHECK OUT
THIS ILLUSTRATED
GUIDE!

PUPPY POWER

Use this filter to troll your doggo!

- 1 Put on the filter and walk around the front of your dog's. If your pet doesn't follow him, and don't break eye contact. We bet ya he'll be confused!
- 2 Buy several copies of KZ's July ish so you can build #KZFilters Paper Pops for the whole fam. Wear the K-9 filters at the same time, then chase your fur-ever friend around the house barking and woofing as y'all do so. LOL! Your pooch might be terrified afterwards, so give him a treat for being a good sport!



PRESS
START

SPLATOON 2

100% COMPLETION

After years of exploring fantastic worlds, carrying out wacky NPC tasks, discovering schweet loot, and brawling with CG baddies, you've finally earned enough XP to reach the maximum level of gamer geekdom. Don't freak! If you can own a boss battle, then you can own at life. If video games have taught us anything, it's that hard work, determination, and a kick-butt support party all lead to victory. There are no cheat codes IRL and level-grinding is the way to go. So when you mess up, you just gotta keep trying. Remember that there's always the option to hit the "Continue" button on the Game Over screen. Now, let the 8-bit credits roll. Thanks for playing this long co-op campaign with us. GG, KZers!

NOW LOADING...



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MINECRAFT
INTERVIEW



FINAL FANTASY
XII: THE
ZODIAC AGE

QUICK BYTES

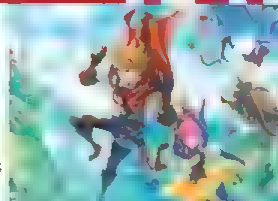
D.I.Y. World

RPG Maker Fes will make your dev dreams come true! Design your very own adventure, then let other players explore your virtual masterpiece via the free RPG Maker Player app. Schweet!

The Real MVPs

Donkey Kong, Pokémon Red and Green, and Street Fighter II: The World Warrior join this year's Video Game Hall of Fame. These games will be displayed in New York's The Strong museum.

Sink your teeth into these videogame news bits!



APP-RECIATE

Peek out with the hottest gaming apps that'll keep ya glued to your tool.



THE SIMS™ MOBILE

PLAY IT ON: IOS/ANDROID

GENRE: SIMULATION

RATING: G PRICE: FREE

The Sims Mobile is totes faithful to the PC versh. You'll make a virtual fam, fulfill your #goals to build your legacy, and socialize so you can unlock rewards. You can also build your own home or visit your RL pal's pad! Yep, you can mingle with real peeps, as opposed to default ones, in this new *Sims* app. Noice!



ZOMBIE OFFROAD SAFARI

PLAY IT ON: IOS/ANDROID

GENRE: RACING

RATING: G PRICE: FREE

Pack yo' bags, 'coz we're ditching the city for a cray safari. In this (un)deadly game, you're gonna unlock 12 vehicles with different abilities. You also get fitted with a wep to defeat the zombies that follow you around. There are challenges to complete, races to win, and bosses to fight, so DL this game now!



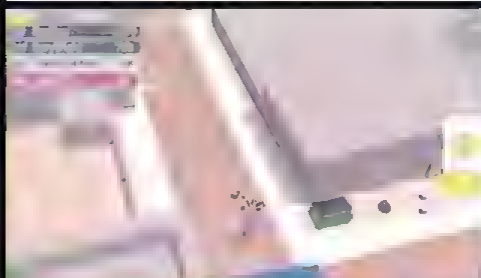
DUNGEON DELIVERY

PLAY IT ON: IOS/ANDROID

GENRE: ARCADE

RATING: G PRICE: FREE

It's wartime and you're a middleman who delivers potions and weps to your brave warrior customers. But there's a twist! You gotta evade dem monsters and survive scary dungeons. Aside from that, this *chib*-fied, RPG-like game requires you to collect relics and gold in order to win. Are you up for this job class?



CRASH CLUB: DRIVE & SMASH CITY

PLAY IT ON: ANDROID

GENRE: ACTION

RATING: G PRICE: FREE

Drive as recklessly as you want—everything you crash into earns ya points that help you move up the leaderboard. This massive multiplayer boasts lotsa cars and customizations, so you can spiffy up your ride just the way you like it. Just remember not to apply this gaming strategy IRL. #SafetyFirst

NEW GAME +

Add these top titles to your to-game list.

BIRTHDAYS
THE BEGINNING

PLAY IT ON: PS4/PC/XBOX ONE

GENRE: SIMULATION RATING: G

RELEASE DATE: AVAILABLE NOW

If you loved *Minecraft*, then you'll love this new sandbox vgame. In *Birthdays the Beginning*, you create cubed-shape worlds and all the living organisms in them. Let your creative juices flow in Free Play Mode, see how the world has evolved in Story Mode, and breed and look after critters in the Dino Challenge Mode

SUPER MARIO
ODYSSEY

PLATFORM: NINTENDO SWITCH

GENRE: ACTION-ADVENTURE

RATING: PG

RELEASE DATE: DECEMBER 2017

The latest *Mario* game switches things up with an expansive world that lets players explore way beyond the Mushroom Kingdom. Now, there's New Donk City (a *Donkey Kong* spin on New York City), and Mario's cap behaves like a boomerang. But wait! Are Peach and Bowser getting married?!



WOOT LOOT

VGAME MERCH, FTW!

GAME BOY 1602 HEAT
CHANGE MOLDED MUG

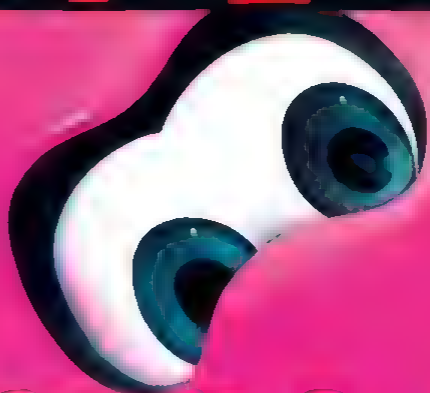
Give your hot choco a 1UP with this heat-activated Game Boy mug! When you pour a steaming drink in the cup, the plain black "screen" turns into an 8-bit Mario Land scene. Get the mug from the ThinkGeek website for \$13 (approximately PHP 650).

RJ X POKÉMON LIMITED
EDITION WATCH

Romain Jerome, a luxury watch brand, collaborated with Pokémon to produce this \$20,000 (around PHP 995,700) black and yellow watch featuring fan fave Pokémon, Pikachu. Only 20 pieces were made, making this a truly rare Pokémon watch!



YOU GOT GAME



SPLATOON 2

AVAILABLE ON NINTENDO SWITCH **GENRE** SHOOTER

Pew-pew-pew! Get ready to unleash a world of "paint" upon your foes in *Splatoon 2*!

TENTACLE OF A TALE

Let's catch up with our fave stylin' squid squad.

Two years after the first game, the Octarians are still causing trouble and a new threat has emerged: Salmonids. A fresh batch of Inklings must save the day!

NOOB ALERT

Say hello to these new critters!



Murch: This tiny sea urchin sells his wares at Inkopolis Square. He's also a major fanboy of Spyke, the resident sea urchin merchant.



U'I Judd: Judd's new kitty purrtnr judges matches alongside him. Word on the turf is, U'I Judd is secretly a feline foe trying to overthrow Judd as the main Turf War judge.

SQUID STEEZ

We share tentacular tips for max turf domination.



Think Ink: If you're not on the offense, stay in your team's ink. This allows you to reload ammo and move faster.

Go For Cover: Don't get caught away with just splatting enemies. Your main mission is to completely cover the turf in your team's color.

Know Thy Wap: Dualies are a short-range choice, rollers are for long-range shelling, and Splattershots are for ship damage.

RATING **G**

WORLD OF WEPs

Get ready for the intense world of *Wep*!

Team Freedom: Your proud team!

Team Freedom: Temporary allies!

Splat Dueller: These dual pistols can aim at two different targets at the same time. When equipped, you can perform a dodge-roll by pressing B while firing. Twice the tracking power takes the fun!

Splatdown: The most and most hit splatter around!

Inkjet: Once the wep is activated, the player has a limited time to fly around the stage while shooting projectiles at opponents.

Splat Roller: Previously, the long-range mainstay only fired horizontal streams of ink, but now it can shoot vertically while you're in mid-air.

Splat Charger: Instead of a biob, the blaster shoots a line of ink. It's best used when aiming at a specific target.



SMELLS FISHY

Face your finned foes in *Salmon Run*.

The new game mode is a four-player co-op fight where you must fend off Salmonids that are trying to snatch yer crate of Power Eggs.



TFW

(THAT FEELING WHEN...)

YOUR SID SNEEZES IN YO' FACE!



DYK? On the *Salmon* website, you can read a side-story which takes place between the first and second games.



EVER OASIS

AVAILABLE ON: NINTENDO 3DS **GENRE:** ACTION-ADVENTURE RPG

Rest thou weary feet, traveler, for *Ever Oasis* has arrived! But uh-oh—baddies have taken over this Egyptian-inspired world! Luckily, Isuna the Water Spirit will help you build a brand new paradise in the desert. Now it's up to you, the new chieftain Tethu, to grow your Oasis, build new shops, and keep your villagers happy!



GET THIS PARTY STARTED!

Meet your teammates!

Tethu (Tethu, 1 Year)

Weapon: Scimitar

Being Green Gale, it's first Chieftain of the Oasis. Can collect items, blow away sand, and learn! (Main character's character)

Isuna (Isuna, 1 Year) (Isuna, 1 Year)
Isuna is a Water Spirit. She is a Water Spirit.

Weapon: N/A

Green Gale (Green Gale, 1 Year)

Weapon: N/A

Isuna, defender of the Oasis, that is the first of the desert at the start of the game. As your partner, she helps you upgrade items and navigate the desert.

Isuna (Isuna, 1 Year)

Weapon: Spear

She deals HUGE damage to enemy-type enemies and can throw heavy objects using her spear.

Isuna (Isuna, 1 Year)

Weapon: Boomerang

He can cut up into a ball and throw it, helping you gain access to hidden areas and enemy locations.



Here are some tips and tricks:

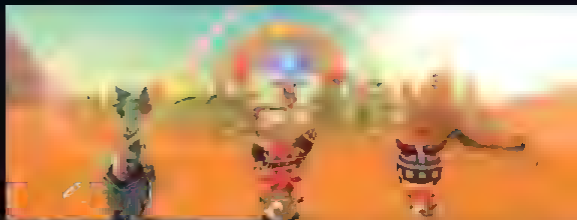
- Can't move while charging magic attacks? Dodge-roll to escape from dire situations.
- Enemies grow tougher once the sun's gone down. Be extra careful at night!
- Your land area is limited, so plant your Bloom Booths strategically.



Help Jasper find his lost cloth bag.

REWARD: Desert Turban, Sash Shop, Digging Ability

Head on over to Bahar Hill and defeat those nasty Spikydllos! But whacking away at 'em won't work—they'll just block with their hard shells. Instead, let them roll around. Wait until their tummies are exposed, then ATTAACK!



Defeat the boss Baatu.

REWARD: Energized Quartz

Focus your attacks on the blue orb on Baastu's pedestal. When his eyes flash, AVOID his mouth lasers! When the pedestal rises, dodge the lasers and wait 'til the pedestal goes back down. This causes a shockwave that covers the blue orb with sand. Use Tefhu's Green Gale to blow the sand away, then land the final blow!



INSIDER DEETS!

Mojang studio manager, Saxe Persson, gives us some Minecraft scoop, including future plans for the game.

MINECRAFT MANA

Yo, Saxe! What feature are fans screaming for the loudest?

Animals to tame and ride are very popular. There have been a million requests to increase the amount of friendly creatures in *Minecraft*.

What are you guys focused on making at the moment?

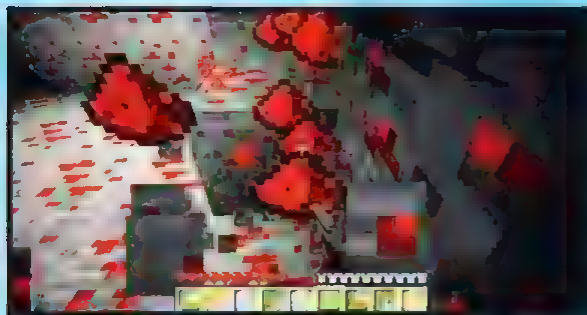
We are putting a lot of energy into bringing the community together. The idea that you can play with other gamers across platforms has always been very motivating for us.

Cool! Hey, how many players actually beat the Ender Dragon?

We know that only a few people end up actually fighting and defeating the Ender Dragon, but people have it in the back of their minds as something to aspire to. They want to do it one day.



GED! (GEDDIT?)



K What's one thing you wish Minecrafters used more?

Redstone is quite intimidating, but it is really fun to tinker with. It's definitely a great tool. You can make pretty epic things with Redstone, and it doesn't take a lot of effort to do so.

K What's the coolest thing your kids have built in *Minecraft*?

Once, when I touched a pressure plate, a smiley face pattern poked out of the mountain in front of me. When I stepped away from the plate, the face went back into the mountain again!

K Sounds Incred! Be honest though, are you better than your kids at *Minecraft*?

They always tell me, "Dad, you know nothing about *Minecraft*!" I say, "That's hard to believe," but it's kind of true.

Seitengrat

Equipped by: Everyone!

Seitengrat is the strongest weapon in the game. Not only that, it's invisible and has the longest range, fool!

Nab it: An invisible chest containing the Seitengrat may spawn in the Uppermost deck of the Skytorry.

Zodiac Spear

Equipped by: Anyone who's equipped with the Uhlan License Board.

Wielding the Zodiac Spear increases the user's evasion points and chances of landing hit combos.

Nab it: Can appear in a chest in Henne Mines.

WHERE'S

ARE YOU IN SEARCH OF THE
XII: ZODIAC AGE?

Whale Whisker N

Equipped by: Anyone who has the Monk License Board.

This melee wep can immobilize your enemies and deal a ton of damage!

Nab it: Sell 3 Mythrils, 3 Corpse Flies, and 4 Aquarius Gems, and buy it from the Bazaar for 60,000 gil.

Cudgel

Equipped by: Anyone with the Red Battlemage License Board.

The Cudgel is a mace that can infect foes with Sap or Disease making them easier to defeat.

Nab it: Dropped by Omega Mark XII.

Staff of the Magi

Equipped by: Anyone

This staff is perfect for busting out your Holy Magic!

Nab it: Dropped by Oversoul or stolen from Luxollid.



Shikari's Nagasa F

Equipped by: Anyone with the Shikari License Board

Not only is it the strongest dagger in-game, but it also has a high chance of OHKO'ing enemies. While bosses don't count, you'll definitely move around the game faster with this in tow.

Nab It: Dropped by a Larva Eater.

Orochi N

Equipped by: Anyone who has the Bushi License Board

This katana is serious business. The blade can poison your enemies.

Nab It: Sell 2 Coeur Whiskers, 2 Sickie-Blades, and 3 Cancer Gems, and buy it from the Bazaar for 90,000 gil.



THAT WEP?

BEST WEPS EVAAH IN FINAL FANTASY
WE GOTCHU, FAM!



Euclid's Sextant

Equipped by: Anyone with the Machinal License Board

They don't deal any damage, but these scales are actually used to grant allies Bubble to increase their HP.

Nab It: Finish the Wild Malboro Hunt.

Scorpion Tail F



Equipped by: The Foebreaker class

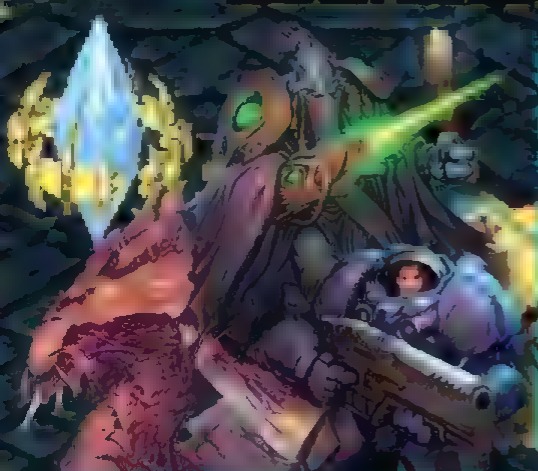
The Scorpion Tail F is the most powerful hammer in the game. Its swings are faster than those of regular hammers.

Nab It: Sell 3 Wyrn Bones, 3 Charged Gizzards, and 4 Scorpio Gems at the Bazaar.



ALL UNITS STAND BY

CAN'T DECIDE WHICH FACTION TO PLAY WHEN THE STARCRAFT HD REMAKE ROLLS OUT? TAKE THIS QUICK QUIZ TO FIND OUT!



How do you communicate with your squad?

- A. By going old-school and calling them on the phone or using a two-way radio.
- B. We have a video chat group complete with emojis and stickers! Ahh, the wonders of technology!
- C. I prefer talking to my pals in person using non-verbal gestures and our own made-up secret language that nobody else understands.

Do you consider yourself a major tech-head?

- A. I use gadgets when necessary. And I always read the instructions.
- B. Well, that's a huge understatement! I happen to live and breathe technology. #nerdlife
- C. Nope, I prefer fun activities sans devices, like rocking out on an instrument or playing a sport.

What kinds of toys do you collect?

- A. Figs that have moveable joints and are made of sturdy material for playing outdoors.
- B. Consoles and gadgets. Name it, I gotta have it. The higher the specs and the bigger the storage space, the better!
- C. I get more affordable (but still cool-looking) toys so that I can buy a lot of 'em and fill up a whole room. The more, the merrier.

How would you defend your HQ from intruders?

A. I would run inside fortified bunkers and blast my core buildings off to space! See if they can reach me there!

B. Build lots of aerial units, cloak them, then organize a sneak attack. Let power rain from above!

C. I would summon an army of creatures and surround my base with thousands of them. For the Overmind!

What is your signature steez?

A. Just jeans and a simple printed shirt for me. I also don a pair of shades and a cap on sunny days.

B. I can rock anything in any color. I like pockets in unexpected places, and I wear fancy bling every now and then.

C. I mostly wear black, violet, and other hues as dark as my soul.

What's your battle cry as you race toward an ooey gooey box of pizza for lunch?

A. YYYEEHHHAAAOWW!!!

B. ANYIS. #punchtheair

C. AAAAAAAAAAGHHHHH!!!

MOSTLY A'S: TERRAN

Welcome to the Terran faction!

the Dominion. As a space cowboy, you have access to combat armor, mechs, and battle chine that defend the planet against alien threats. You outwit foes

the most high-tech stuff, but you'll do just fine. When all else fails, nuke 'em!

MOSTLY B'S: PROTOSS

Welcome to the Protoss faction!

in the universe, with mastery of dem

powered. Besides having night vision, you can read minds and live up to a

are your cutting-edge technology and your ability to teleport during battle For victory! And for Alur!

MOSTLY C'S: ZERG

Welcome to the Zerg faction!

Zerg faction lacks in defense, it more than makes up for in quantity. Zergs are

can also slowly regenerate health. The key to winning with this faction is to immediately build your army and send them to enemy base as fast as you can. Attack your opponents before they have time to recruit squads and put up structures



YOU GOT GAME

AWARDS



Name:
Carlos Carado
Codename:
@bidmoneywho6

Game: Roblox

Whoa! Your avatar's lacking legit athletic wear! Carlos! We think the green jersey looks complement the purple headphones.



Name:
Mikyla Eugenio
Codename:
KylaGamingYT328

Game: Roblox

Hey, did you and Carlos talk about your outfit? Coz we're getting serious winning vibes here! (Are you starting a virtual sports team together? LOU)



Name:
Mikyla Eugenio
Codename:
Ultranium

Game: Minecraft

Eep! That's one tough avatar we don't wanna mess with. Your character looks like he could take over the world! (You're tough)



ACHIEVEMENT UNLOCKED

DRAGON QUEST HEROES II **GENRE:** RPG **PLATFORM:** PS

AVAILABLE ON: PS3 / PS4 / PSVITA / NSWITCH / PC

Avid Accessorizer

Collect every single accessory in the game.

Beastmaster

Recruit every species of monster minions.

Bounty Hunter

Defeat every marked monster.

Crème de la Combo

String together a combo of at least 350 hits.

Dimensional Drifter

Clear your first dimensional dungeon.

Dunquestin

Finish all the quests.

Headbanger

Bump your head on the ceiling.

Level-May-Care

Upgrade every character to level 40.

Monster Muggin'

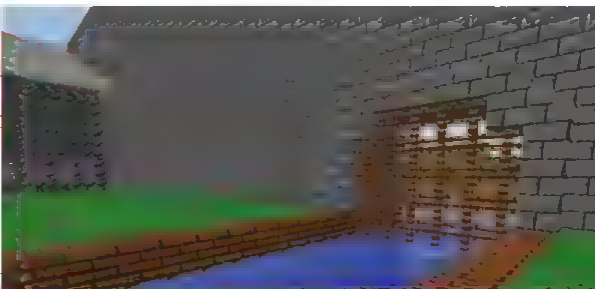
Nab all the items the monsters drop.

TIP TRIP

An effective defense strategy is to build a moat around your house. It will keep mobs and Endermen away, and it slows down zombies. Your moat should be at least three blocks deep for max defense. It's time to get diggin', stat!

Renz Banas

teaches us how to stop intruders from infiltrating your *Minecraft* HQ.





NAME:

Enzo Yu

HOMEBASE:

Quezon City

GAMING SKILLS:

Arcade, Fighting

1. *Slither.io*
2. *Geometry Dash*
3. *NBA 2K17*
4. *Color Switch*
5. *Injustice: Gods Among Us*



GAMER'S HELP DESK

Migs Perce

How do I mine

Obsidian?



Bring your Diamond Pickaxe for digging, and look for rivers that meet with lava underground. You gotta dig beneath the water, 'coz that's where Obsidian blocks are located. (Tip: They're darker than the rest of the water.) Keep hitting the Obsidian block with your Diamond Pickaxe—it takes about 15 secs. If there's a pop and a flash of light, then you've just added an Obsidian to your inventory!

READER REVIEW

Trela Pe Benito

tells us what's cool about *Lode Runner 1*.

Gameplay

Lode Runner 1 is an upgraded verish of the original *Lode Runner*. Basically, you collect gold and avoid the robots that guard them. Once you've nabbed all the gold in a level, a door opens up and transports you to the next one. You also get to unlock characters and modes when you finish certain stages.

Graphics

The game's 16-bit graphics are beyond. The devs kept the classic blue theme but added new elements like slick backgrounds that look way modern!

Sound

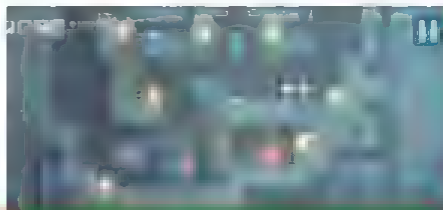
Players will hear a cool 8-bit SFX whenever a character collects gold. The main theme also sounds like a rock song that you'd hear on the radio.

Replay

Just like in the original video game, you can create your own levels in the Stage Editor mode. Aside from the Classic mode, there's a Challenge mode where you play against other gamers to see who can finish the puzzles in the shortest time.

Overall

I am deffo digging *Lode Runner 1* with its ace gameplay and mind-blowing graphics. Both old-school and modern gamers should totes check it out.



Will the real Marceline please stand up? Catch dem copycats by singling out the one and only Vampire Queen in each scenario.

MARCELINE MADNESS



Help K-LEB and Detective Gerald decipher the code! Follow the clues below.

**BRAIN
TRAIN**

LET'S GET CRACKIN'!

CODE

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and placed correctly.

4 1 7

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correct, but not
placed correctly.

5 2 1

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correct, but not
placed correctly.

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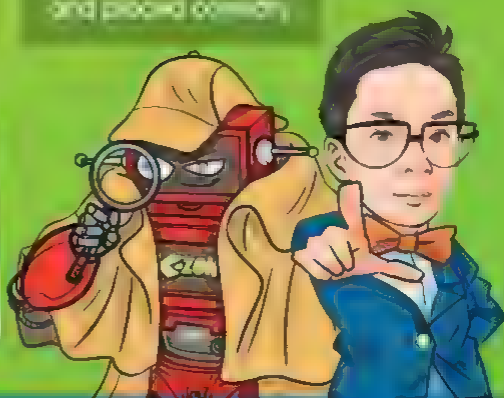
Nothing is correct.

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and placed correctly.



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AGE: 10
HOBBIES: READING K-ZONE,
 WATCHING CARTOONS
 AND ANIME



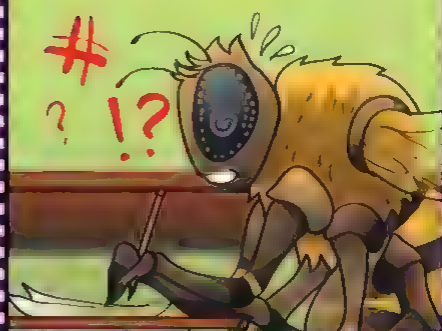
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BUTTER-FLY



QUIZ BEE



BED BUG



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CREEPY-CRAWLIES!

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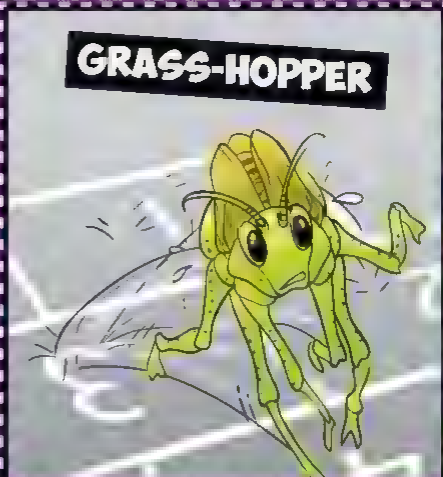
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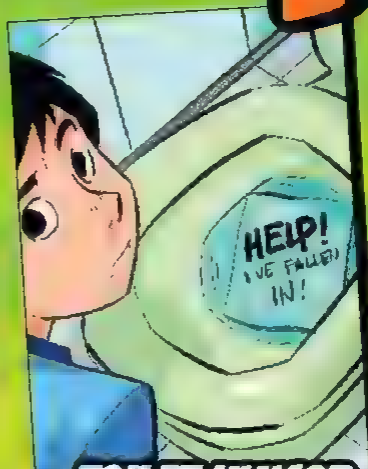
HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA 79

DISCLAIMER

Pranks have a nasty habit of going wrong, so be careful when you try to pull 'em off, and don't blame us if you end up getting grounded.

FROZEN TREATS

Fill a plastic cup with juice or soda, add a straw, and then freeze it overnight. The next day, place the frozen cup out on the dining table and offer it to someone. LOL as they try to sip the rock-solid drink through the straw. Good luck, fam! *Slurrrp*

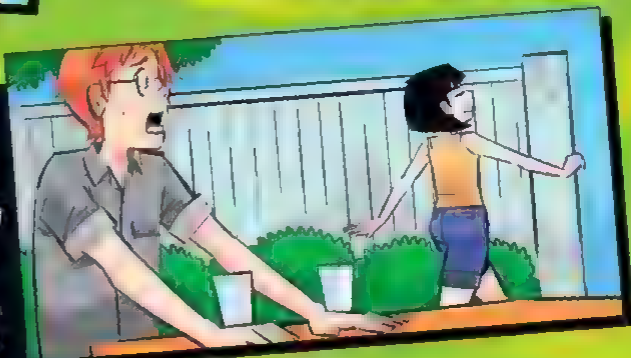


TOILET HUMOR

Stack a few squares of toilet paper on top of each other. Using a permanent marker, write "Help! I've fallen in!" on the top layer. Gently place your note on the toilet water so it floats. Anyone who uses the loo will be way confuzzled!

WATER YOU GONNA DO NOW?

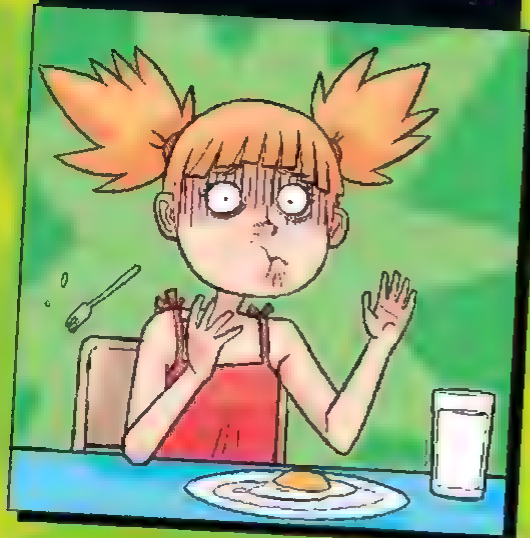
Place a hand palm-down on a table, then balance a plastic cup filled with water on the back of your hand. Bet a nearby victim that they can't balance a cup on two hands. They'll def take you up on that bet, so help them set up the cups, then walk away. They won't wanna move for fear of spilling the water. Checkmate! LOL!



RANKS

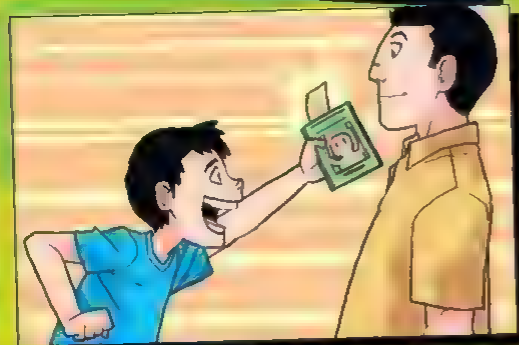
AN EGG-CELLENT PRANK

Take a peach half and lay it in the middle of a plate of plain white yogurt. Offer it to your sib and tell 'em you cooked them a sunny-side-up egg for brekkie. Yum!



SHOE SHAM

Locate a sibling's sneaker stash. Tie the laces of one shoe to another shoe from a different pair. Do this until you've tied all your sib's shoes to each other. When they go to grab a pair, they'll get a whole bunch! Enjoy watching them untangle the bundle of footwear!



HERE COMES THE MONEY

Take a fake (read: play money) 500-peso bill and cut it in half. Slip one half inside a book so it sticks out like a bookmark, and place the book where others can see it. Hide and wait until one of your 'rents or sibs get excited about the phony money.

JOKEES



Q: What do you call a dog that does magic tricks?

A: A labracadabrador!

Q: Why was the teacher cross-eyed?

A: Because he couldn't control his pupils!

Q: Why can't towels tell jokes?

A: They have a dry sense of humor.

Q: Why do toadstools grow so close to each other?

A: Because they don't need mushroom (much room).



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Q: What do mice eat on their birthdays?

A: Cheesecake!

Q: What did the clock do at the buffet?

A: It went back for seconds.

Q: What does a ghost panda chomp on?

A: Bam-BOO!

Q: What's the worst vegetable to bring on a boat?

A: A leek (leak)!

Q: How was Rome split in two?

A: With a pair of Caesars (scissors).

Q: Why didn't the skeleton cross the road?

A: He didn't have the guts!



CAPTION THIS

MAY'S LULZIEST CAPTION

I am practicing to become a DJ.



GENUINE ROLDAN

MAY'S RUNNERS-UP

Is this Yondu's fin? – **Katherine Santos**

I. Am. Cuuute! – **Gabriel Santos**

Hail Hydra! – **Elizen Alilam**

Thanks for the laughs, **Genuine Roldan**! You get to take home a **K-Zone cord organizer**! Please contact **Bebe San Diego** at **CRSanDiego@summitmedia.com.ph** or **451-8888 loc. 8892** before claiming your swag on or before July 31, 2017.



1. What is Gollum's real name?
S M E A G O L

2. This member of the Fellowship also happens to be Faramir's bro.
B O R O M I R

3. Who forged The One Ring?
S A U R O N

4. He's not just Legolas' dad, but also the king of the elves during the Second and Third Ages.
T H R A N D U I L

6. This elf is also known as the Lady of Lóthlórien.
G A L A D R I E L

5. The Kingdom of Gondor is bordered by Rohan to the north, Mordor to the south, the Cape of Andrast and the Sea to the west, and _____ to the east.
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